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Marginal Column

By ZEEV LAQUEUR

THE London tripartite conference on Cyprus is now well under way, and it may well be that not only Cyprus but the defence of the Eastern Mediterranean in general is now at stake. It is all the more regrettable that both the Greek and the Turkish governments now seem to be passing through a state of acute domestic crisis. This happens everywhere in the world, and in the long run the countries are perhaps none the worse for it. But the fact that it should occur at this very juncture makes the success of the conference a more distant possibility than all of them can really afford.

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THE fact that Marshal Papagos must now overcome considerable difficulties at home is generally known. Less well known are recent developments in Turkey. In mid-August, Kasim Gulek, the Secretary General of the Republican People's Party was arrested at the mining centre of Zonguldak for "throwing aspersions on the conduct of the 1954 elections" and consequently of the present parliament, the Grand National Assembly. But the real trouble had begun much earlier. Relations between the two leading Turkish parties had deteriorated for many a month, and this regrettable development has now culminated in the Opposition's decision to boycott both municipal and provincial elections.

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THE government leaders reacted violently. The Opposition was accused of trying to create artificial shortages, of having told the peasants not to sell their grain because prices were to rise, to withdraw money from the banks, to hoard petroleum, sugar, etc. It was charged with speaking of a "crisis in the regime" and trying to exploit "freedom for treason" by allegedly accusing the Democratic Party (the Government) leaders of a pro-Communist orientation. "The aim of all that is to create a critical situation in the country. They have gone so far that we are at a loss to tell Communists and Fifth Column propaganda from that of the Opposition, because both follow the same aim."

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THE Opposition has now countered with complaints that the freedom of the universities has been curtailed; that, as last week's "Ulus" put it, "many people have become rich by foul means during the present regime," and that certain provinces (notably Kirsehir) have been reduced to districts because the people there refused to vote for the Government at the last election. The government spokesman (Prof. Koprulu) in Ankara last week, countered by charging the Opposition with wild demagogy, and challenged them to specify their accusations, refuting the "torrent of unjust, baseless, illogical and intolerable attacks to which the Government and the Democratic Party has been subjected in recent months."

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IT is difficult for a foreign observer to say who is right and who is wrong in the internal Turkish dispute. What unfortunately cannot be denied is that the unity of purpose which prevailed in Turkey for many years under Ataturk no longer exists in the same measure now. In the long run, this may affect Turkey's foreign political standing, which would be a matter of regret, for Turkey, on the whole, has been a factor of stability, restraint and moderation in this part of the world. The 1946 democratic revolution which caused the peaceful overthrow of the authoritarian regime that had prevailed before, has been hailed, and justly so, as a major achievement of the Turkish people. For there are not many instances in recent history of an authoritarian regime that professed belief in democracy really having guided its people finally towards that aim. But parliamentary democracy has also weaknesses and drawbacks, and the recent development in Turkey, the disintegration of that feeling of common purpose, are a perfect illustration. The Jacobins already knew that political parties were poison — the end of the volonte generale. But then it must be asked whether the "general will" has not been a fiction of some political philosophers from the very beginning.

London, September 5.

French Ask Ex-Ruler To Back Peace Plan

PARIS, Monday. — Intricate negotiations affecting the French position in Morocco took place today in Madagascar, Italy, and Switzerland. For the moment, the fate of the Franco-Moroccan talks lies in the hands of the exiled Sultan Mohammed ben Yussef, now conferring in Madagascar with Gen. Georges Catroux, who asked him to approve France's peace plan for Morocco.

Gen. Catroux, the 79-year-old expert on North African affairs, was dispatched to Antsirabe, Madagascar, by Premier Edgar Faure when a broad measure of agreement was reached with the nationalists in week-long talks in Paris. The compromise plan calls for the exiled Sultan's return to France, the ouster of the present Sultan Mohammed ben Arafa, the creation of a Council of the Throne, and the formation of a nationalist government.

In Rome, the leaders of the extreme nationalist group, the Istiklal, talked over the situation with their head, Allalco Fassi.

Delegates of the Democratic Independence Party, the second nationalist party in Morocco, debated conditions for setting up a Moroccan government in which they would participate with the chief of their group, Hassan el Wazzani.

An outstanding difficulty is that the Istiklal refuses to join any government until Ben Yussef has actually arrived in France. One way out was that the ex-ruler should come to France by sea instead of flying. This would take 25 days but, it is felt, arguments would stop the day his ship sailed from Madagascar.

Seven Algerians and a young French conscript died in terrorist attacks reported from North Africa today. Outlaws who surrounded the hamlet of Tenefdour in eastern Algeria, last night cut the throats of seven leading villagers and cut off the noses of four others. Corporal Jean Gautier was killed today in Casablanca by a terrorist who stunned him with a paving stone, took his tommygun and revolver and then shot him.

In the Oued Zem region in Morocco, more than 7,000 troops escorted by armoured cars and reconnaissance planes scoured the mountains and wooded countryside for rebel tribesmen who have not yet surrendered. Several hundred of the mounted warriors who sacked Oued Zem on August 20 and massacred 88 Europeans, are still holding out.

(Reuter, UP)

INVENTION STOPS WOOL FROM SHRINKING

MELBOURNE, Monday (Reuter). — Scientists have discovered a way to stop wool from shrinking. Dr. E. C. Carter, Technical Director of the International Wool Secretariat, today described a new technique. This involves application of a small amount of synthetic resin to wool, more or less "spot welding" the fibres to each other.

British Cyprus Plan Seen Inadequate

LONDON, Monday (Reuter). — The Cabinet today approved the proposals on constitutional progress for Cyprus which the Foreign Secretary is to lay before the three-power conference on the British colony tomorrow, diplomatic quarters said.

Conference sources said that the British proposal will fall short of the Greek claim for self-determination for Cyprus. The maximum British offer is expected in London to be the establishment of constitutional self-government in Cyprus with reference to the possibility of a later review of the position.

In these circumstances, diplomatic quarters expect that the London talks will end this week.

Earlier, in a statement published in London, the Turkish Foreign Minister, Mr. Fatin Zorlu, called for the termination of the conference, the results of which, in the form of clear statements of the conflicting standpoints of the three countries, had already been obtained.

Greek sources today expressed the view that at tomorrow's session "real business" could start. They said that the Greek delegation will accept self-government in Cyprus only if Britain agrees to self-determination for Cyprus within a specified time.

President Kowatly To Be Sworn in Today

DAMASCUS, Monday (Reuter). — The Government of Premier Sabri el Assali will resign and a new one will be formed by President-elect Shukri el Kowatly, who will be sworn in tomorrow.

Advisers accompanying Mr. Eric Johnston, President Eisenhower's special envoy to the Middle East, will arrive here tomorrow. Mr. Johnston, who was to have come to Damascus himself, is unable to travel owing to an ear infection, the U.S. Embassy said.

Meanwhile, NEABS reported that Arab experts would meet in Beirut on Thursday to discuss the Johnston plan. It said that the Lebanese Government on Sunday handed to Mr. Johnston the decision of Parliament to reject his project, and instead to exploit the Litani River by Lebanese effort alone, for irrigation purposes and production of hydroelectric power.

Burma to Buy £250,000 Goods From Israel

Jerusalem Post Staff

Burma hopes to buy £250,000 worth of Israel goods in the coming year, chiefly cement, tires and asbestos, the Hon. Boh Min Gaung, Burman Minister for Public Works and Rehabilitation, told a press conference in Jerusalem yesterday. He heads the "fact-finding" 16-man Burman delegation that is visiting Israel and the East European countries to study the possibilities of opening mutual trade relations.

It is believed that the trade agreement between Burma and Israel will be signed in London at the end of this year after the group ends its tour. A final meeting with the delegation, which leaves today, was held in the Foreign Ministry yesterday.

Burma is planning to add to her present single cement factory and hopes to engage Israel technicians to aid both with this project, and with plans for tire and asbestos plants. Burma wishes to export rice, rubber and raw materials to Israel. Among Burma's rich mineral resources are lead, tungsten and silver. The Minister said that his country would be happy to buy almost any arms that Israel would be willing to sell.

The delegation, which arrived here last Monday, has toured most of Israel's industrial establishments, with the military members of the delegation visiting some Defence Forces projects. The Hon. Boh Min Gaung said that he was impressed by labour relations in Israel.

Increased Trade

Mr. M. Bartur, Director of the Economic Division in the Foreign Ministry, who was in the chair, briefly described Israel's hopes for increased trade with Burma.

The Burman visitors yesterday placed a wreath in the Military Cemetery on Mount Herzl. A luncheon in their honour was held at the King David Hotel by the Minister of Development, Dr. Dov Joseph.

The members of the delegation are:

The Hon. Boh Min Gaung; U Yi Tit, Minister of Shan State; Maha Thray Sithu U Sein, Parliamentary Secretary, Kayah Ministry; U Yone Moh, Chief Mechanical Engineer, Burma Railways Board; U Sein Hline, Chief Controller, Union Purchase Board-Secretary of Mission; U Maung Maung, Superintending Engineer, Highways Department; U Tin Maung Maung, Deputy Inspector-General of Police; U Hone Wah, Deputy Secretary, Highways and Rehabilitation Ministry; U Win Maung, Mechanical Engineer, Highways Department; Brigade Commandant Boh Taik Soe; U Ba Thein, Electrical Engineer, Housing Board; U Nyo Ba, Electrical Engineer, Union Electric Supply Board; U Ba E, Assistant Controller, Civil Supplies, Management Board; U Thet Tin, Dock Superintendent, Inland Water Transport Board; U Tun Tin Ohn, Assistant Mechanical Engineer, Port Commissioners; and Captain Colheim.

Malik Warns Arabs To Consider U.S. Proposals

Dr. Charles Malik, who returned to Beirut last week after retiring as Lebanese Ambassador to the U.S., told reporters yesterday that the Arab states would do well not to reject out of hand "such plans as those proposed by Dulles and Johnston."

NEABS reported that he stated the "world does not particularly care for people who recklessly turn down such proposals." He urged the Arab states to give careful consideration to such projects.

Doctors Warn Of 'Extreme Measures'

"Extreme measures" were threatened last night by the Israel Medical Association if today's scheduled meeting between the doctors and the Government representatives are "unsatisfactory". The spokesman of the physicians stated last night that the negotiations during the past two days have not shown the way towards a wage agreement. The doctors are now engaged in a "go slow" strike.

The spokesman added that it was the physicians' view that the Government had retreated from the salary recommendations in the Guri Report.

The Central Committee of the Medical Association is to meet on Thursday.

NO AFTERNOON PATIENTS

TEL AVIV, Monday. — Kupat Holim doctors have no right to receive patients at clinics during the early afternoon hours, Kupat Holim declared in a statement issued today, following the doctors' decision to work straight through until 2.30 p.m. instead of the two-part normal shift. The doctors, the statement said, while using this measure to press their salary claims, were attempting to establish their oft-claimed continuous working day.

This has always been rejected by Kupat Holim, because it does not allow working people to be treated after their working hours. Normal clinic hours are from 8 a.m. to 12.30, and from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

The physicians are willing to resume negotiations, but will not call off their partial strike unless given the promise that their claims will be met, a spokesman of the doctors told *The Jerusalem Post* following a meeting of the doctors today. "Our claims are modest, and are based on the Guri Report," he said. The doctors claimed that many patients attended the clinics during the new hours, while Kupat Holim declared the opposite to be true.

It was also decided that should the negotiations break down between the State-employed physicians and the Government, doctors in Kupat Holim hospitals would also step up their "passive strike" together with the State doctors.

Token Fee for Medicine

Kupat Holim patients will be required to pay token sums for the medicines they now receive gratis. A decision to this effect of the Kupat Holim Board was approved by the Histadrut Central Committee yesterday. The new system will come into effect on October 1.

Fees for medicines were abolished in January, but Kupat Holim has found that too great a burden has been placed on the institution, which is suffering from a heavy deficit.

The Central Committee also decided to ask the Government for a larger grant.

BAROU, OF W.J.C., DEAD

Dr. Noah Barou, Chairman of the European Executive of the World Jewish Congress, died in London yesterday after a short illness.

Two Israel Soldiers Killed On Crossing Lines in Error

'We Pray for Peace,' B.G. Tells Officers

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Some 4,000 Jerusalemites attended the passing out parade of 450 officer cadets at the Kirya parade grounds yesterday afternoon.

The parade went by with clockwork precision though in slow motion. The band appeared first followed by the training command banner. The reddish ground then slowly filled with the khaki uniforms of the cadets ranged in squares.

At this point, the parade waited in tense silence for the Minister of Defence and the Chief of Staff, who arrived precisely at 4 p.m. Mr. Ben-Gurion was travelling in Rav-Aluf Moshe Dayan's car. He was hatless and in khaki.

Spotting Mr. S. B. Yeshaya, the appointed Jerusalem Chief Commissioner, Mr. Ben-Gurion exclaimed: "But when are you going to leave, finally?"

Mr. Yeshaya, smiling, promised to give way to the new mayor "within two more days." Others present at the saluting base were Aluf Yitzhak Rabin, head of the Training Branch, and Aluf-Mishne Haim Herzog, the Jerusalem Area Commander, Chief Rabbi I. H. Herzog, the latter's father sat in the first row on the grandstand. Other notables included Cabinet Ministers, Knesset Members and the American, British and French Military Attaches.

Mr. Ben-Gurion pinned the "Commander's Emblem" — the badge given to graduates of officers' courses — on the three best cadets.

Ben-Gurion Address

"You are today on the threshold of your service in the Israel Defence Forces as young officers. This is at once a grave responsibility and a high privilege which demand of you unremitting efforts at self-improvement as men, Jews, soldiers, commanders, comrades, educators and living examples to subordinates and comrades," Mr. Ben-Gurion told the Officers.

"Our young army underwent a supreme trial at the moment of its birth and emerged honourably and gloriously. It is our army which gave our people its independence and national freedom. However, our trials were not over on the day of victory, for victory in war, by its very nature, is never final, if any victory can ever be such, except for the achievement of world peace among all nations according to the visions of the prophets of Israel.

"Our army, and the entire nation with it, is subjected to a continuous trial almost day by day and night by night; and only a few days ago it again proved its fighting superiority both on land and in the air. There can be no doubt that if we are ever again faced with a supreme trial — we shall stand up to it with greater force and better ability than seven years ago — although we pray and hope that peace will be established.

"After the glorious victory of our army in the War of Independence we did not indulge in jubilation and haughty pride. We knew that the training, the ability, the equipment and the means which were enough to defeat all our enemies then would not suffice in the future; since then not a year has passed without considerable further advances in our military strength and improvements of our army's standards of training and equipment. There can be no comparison and there is

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Bodies Returned by Egyptians

The bodies of two Israel soldiers, who were killed by the Egyptians when they accidentally crossed the Demarcation Line in the area of Nir Yitzhak several hours after the cease-fire came into effect on Sunday night, were returned to Israel yesterday.

An Army spokesman said early yesterday that three members of a patrol had lost their way among the sand dunes in the area. Later, U.N. Observers informed Israel that two of the three had been killed. Nothing was known of the third soldier at a late hour last night.

On Sunday night, the U.N. Truce Supervision Organization was informed in Jerusalem by the Foreign Ministry that the patrol had lost its way. The crossing of the line was said to be a "regrettable error."

Maj.-Gen. E.L.M. Burns, Chief of Staff of the T.S.O., informed the Egyptians of the Foreign Ministry communication. An Egyptian communique later said that Gen. Burns had "contacted the Egyptian authorities and told them that the Israel Government had informed him that the incident of the Israel patrol had occurred by mistake and that the Israel authorities and soldiers of the patrol were sorry."

According to a Reuter message from Cairo, Egypt announced that the two bodies were handed over to Israel "with military honours."

An Egyptian spokesman claimed that five Israel armoured cars rolled up to the truce line at Tobat el-Asra and opened fire on Egyptian troops. He went on to say that the Egyptians notified the Mixed Armistice Commission and gave the Israelis two hours to withdraw, but added that the Israel Foreign Ministry had said nothing was known of such an operation.

The Israel-Egypt Mixed Armistice Commission which met yesterday morning to discuss the incidents of August 22 which started off a chain of clashes along the Gaza Strip, was still in session at midnight last night.

The cease-fire was being maintained, and quiet was reported all along the border yesterday. Our Rehovot correspondent who toured the area yesterday reported that farmers were in their fields as usual tending their groves and vineyards, and irrigating their lands.

Cairo Takes Grave Risk, 'Guardian' Says

MANCHESTER, Monday (Reuter). — The Egyptian Revolution Council "is taking grave risks" in the conduct of its policy in the Gaza area, for "militarily, the Israelis are almost certainly much stronger and also more resolute," the "Manchester Guardian" said editorially today.

The paper blamed the Egyptians for enlarging the outbreaks, "and their motive was presumably to break off the Gaza talks."

It suggested that the powers interested in the Gaza situation must now consider what measures are open to them midway between letting matters alone and full-scale intervention. It asked, "If fighting threatened to get out of hand, what exactly are the obligations of the signatories of the tripartite declaration of 1950?"

Pointing out that the declaration said if either Israel or the Arab states are proposing to violate the frontiers, the signatories —the U.S., Britain, and France— will take action both within and without the U.N. to prevent this, the paper said, "At what stage do the signatories have to judge that the time for action has arrived? The Israelis have always contended that the declaration is a specious statement of principle rather than a firm guarantee and that is why they have pressed for a treaty."

Salah Salem Pays Visit to Nasser

CAIRO, Monday (Reuter).—Major Salah Salem, who last week resigned as Propaganda and Sudan Affairs Minister, today called on Premier Abdul Nasser. He was accompanied by an aide and a senior police officer.

Major Salem signed the visitors' book and wrote, "I extend my thanks to the Prime Minister for his overwhelming kindness which I shall never forget."

Last night Abdul Nasser visited Salem at the Government rest house where the ex-Minister has been staying since his resignation. According to rumours circulating in the past few days, the major will fly to Switzerland to join his wife and his son, who is convalescing.

Meanwhile, the Syrian press today reported that Salem is organizing and commanding the activities of the Egyptian "Fedayin" murder squads, according to the Jordan paper "El Jihad."

GLUBB IN JOLLY GOOD MOOD

LONDON, Monday (INA). — In spite of Israel's success against the Arabs seven years ago and despite her build-up in arms and strength, "the Arab Legion would give the Israelis a jolly good run for their money if it came to a second round," declared Gen. John Glubb, Commander of the Arab Legion.

He made the statement in an interview with the "Daily Express." He said he did not expect the Israel-Egyptian border tension to develop into war.

NASSER LEAVES CAIRO 'FOR REST'

CAIRO, Monday (Reuter). — Premier Abdul Nasser left Cairo today to rest for a week at a seaside resort near Alexandria. Leaving his office, he told reporters, "You too, can take some leave." Observers saw this as another sign of an easing in the Gaza situation.

The Premier has accepted an invitation to visit Hungary, the Foreign Ministry announced today. The date will be fixed later.

C.I.O., Histadrut Open Culture House at Eilat

By TED R. LURIE

EILAT, Monday. — With the thermometer hitting 44 degrees on the brown-baked, barren hillside overlooking the deep blue waters of the Gulf of Akaba, the large and handsome water-and-wind cooled halls of the Philip Murray Centre were dedicated today at an Israel-American ceremony.

Thus, American Labour Day—the first Monday in September—was celebrated for the first time in Israel by a general stoppage of work here in honour of the opening of the imposing granite and brick building which is the joint gift of the Congress of Industrial Organizations and the Histadrut to Eilat. It will serve as the cultural centre (Beit Hatarbut) for the working men and women of this frontier town.

The Stars and Stripes, the Israel flag and the Labour colours snapped sharply in the [illegible] north wind, in a row along the flagstone path as the American Ambassador, Mr. Edward Lawson; the Histadrut leaders led by the Secretary-General Mr. Mordecai Namir, and the visiting C.I.O. delegation headed by the organization's president, Mr. Walter Reuther, walked up to the large hammered copper door where Mr. Namir handed Mr. Reuter a big gold key with which he opened the new house. The C.I.O. delegation had come from the U.S. especially for the occasion.

The party had flown from Lydda in a special Arkia Curtis Commando (C-46) escorted by four red-nosed Mustang fighters of the Israel Air Force. Before taking off, the speech-making began at a festive luncheon at the Airport restaurant where Mr. Reuther presented specially inscribed medallions of the Philip Murray Foundation to the members of the Histadrut Central Committee.

The Chairman was Mr. Reuven Barkatt, and the international flavour of the day's proceedings was immediately given in brief addresses by the U.S. Solicitor General, Mr. Simon Sobeloff, and Mr. Alistair Stewart, Canadian M.P.

No Blood for Oil

The latter gave emphatic expression to his opposition to the policy of arming the Arab States and declared, "We will not trade Arab oil for Jewish lives."

The support of American Labour, moreover, for the cause of Israel in general, and for the Histadrut in particular, was stressed at the Eilat ceremony later by speakers both of the Histadrut and the C.I.O. delegation, and was given eloquent expression in a message from the Prime Minister who was scheduled to have attended, but was prevented at the last minute from doing so by pressure of "urgent work due to the emergency of last week."

Mr. Sharett wrote:

May the building which you are inaugurating today serve to strengthen the pioneering spirit and the creative capacity of organized Jewish Labour, and give further impetus to the development drive at Israel's gateway to the southern and far eastern seas. At the same time, may the Histadrut house be a symbol of the brotherhood between the Labour movements of the United States and Israel.

The presence of such a distinguished delegation of the C.I.O. at the dedication of this building, which was erected with their help, is a source of great encouragement to all of us. Its dedication to the noble memory of the late Philip Murray reawakens and renews in our hearts the feelings of gratitude for his sustained sympathy and assistance to our work, which have become a living tradition in the movement which he led.

Israel is deeply grateful to her friends of the C.I.O. leadership for their imaginative generosity, which she regards as a precious contribution to the strengthening of the ties of friendship between Israel and the United States.

Not only the workers of Eilat, who were on holiday, but Eilat's entire population, including women and children, crowded into the large assembly hall of the new Centre. Mr. I. Haskin, Histadrut Treasurer and a moving spirit in this project, introduced the visitors and called on Mr. Namir to take the chair. From this platform almost within earshot, if not within sight of the borders of Jordan, Egypt and Saudi Arabia, the Histadrut leader declared: "Here as in so many undertakings whether economic, social or cultural, which are being set up in Eilat, we are fixing the true, the permanent boundary of the State of Israel — a boundary hallowed by the devotion of our finest young people, and thanks to the magnificent military and moral strength which emerged in the earliest days of our State."

He too referred to the "powerful fraternal ties between the workers of the United States and those of Israel ... and friendship which Israel needs in repulsing the dangers which loom ahead."

Mr. Lawson remarked how happy he was to take part in the day's manifestation of "shirt-sleeved democracy" (there was not a necktie or a jacket on the

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400 DEAD IN U.S. LABOUR DAY ACCIDENTS

NEW YORK, Monday (Reuter). — Americans today celebrated Labour Day — the last public holiday of the summer — as road safety experts predicted it would be the most tragic in history. The death toll for the week-end neared the 400 mark tonight — 25 per cent above last year's figures for the same period.

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Social & Personal

The President yesterday received Dr. Gershon Miron, Honorary Consul-General of the Philippines, and Mr. Ernest Simka, Honorary Israel Consul-General in the Philippines. They were presented to Mr. Ben-Zvi by the Asian Division of the Foreign Ministry.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Moshe Sharett, received on Sunday Mr. Gottlieb Hammer, of the Jewish Agency in the U.S.; Mr. Riley P. Stevenson, Vice-President, First National City Bank of New York; Mr. Peter White, Vice-President, Manufacturers Trust Co., N.Y.; Mr. Pierce Onthank, Vice-President, Chemical Corn Exchange Bank, N.Y. and Mr. Lester Mendell, Vice-President, Bankers Trust Co., N.Y. The visitors were received yesterday by Mr. David Horowitz, Governor of the Bank of Israel.

The Prime Minister yesterday received Mr. Moses U. Perlmann, of the U.S. at his office in the Foreign Ministry.

Mr. A. N. Stewart, of Winnipeg, Member of the Canadian Parliament, visited the Hebrew University with Mrs. Stewart on Sunday.

ARRIVALS: Dr. A.G. Black, former U.N. agricultural planning adviser to the Ministry of Agriculture, on sick leave; Mr. Raoul Ami, after completing a mission for the Keren Hayesod in Morocco; Bishop D. A. Thompson, of England, (staying at the Sharon Hotel); Mr. S. Groussard, of the Paris "Figaro," to report on the Gaza Strip situation; Mr. Don Cooke, of the "New York Herald-Tribune"; The Tel Aviv Chief Magistrate, Judge E. Yedid-Halevi, from a trip to several European countries; Mr. B.B. Korzen, textile expert from Copenhagen, on behalf of the U.N., for a four-month visit; Mr. Victor Mishcon, Chairman of the Friends of the Technion in England, in connection with the construction of the Winston Churchill Auditorium at "Technion City" in Haifa.

DEPARTURES: Dr. Gur-Arie Terlo, Director of the Organizational Department at Keren Hayesod Head Office, to Central America, to work for the United Jewish Appeal; Mr. Moshe Pearlman, Director of the Government Information Service, for a short visit to Paris.

BIRTHS

BROZA — To Sharona (née Aron) and Arthur Broza, on September 4, 1955, at Imahut Hospital, Haifa — a son, David.

CARASSO — To Miriam (née Kleinman) wife of Haim A. Carasso, Eng., at present Sao Paulo, Brazil — a son.

INTERMENT

The remains of Dr. Judah L. Magnes will be interred at the Sanhedria Cemetery in Jerusalem today, September 6, at 5:30 p.m. Friends of the late Dr. Magnes are invited to meet at Terra Sancta, Rehavia, at 5 p.m. Buses will be available for transport to the Sanhedria Cemetery.

FUND TO AID AUTHORS, SCIENTISTS

A Fund to Aid Authors and Scientists has been established through the initiative of Professor Benzion Dinur, Minister of Education and Culture. The Fund also aims at aiding the families of the authors and scientists.

Among those participating in the Fund are the Ministry of Education and Culture, the Jewish Agency, the Research Council, the Authors Association and the Publishers Association.

Where to go

JERUSALEM

Your Lunch and Dinner at Hesse's Restaurant, Jerusalem, Tel. 4130. Excellent food and service. Oldest establishment in Israel. Dinner will be served on the terrace.

★ Exhibitions: —
"Conquest of the Desert" permanent Exhibition on the grounds of the Jerusalem Convention Centre, 1-10, 4-8.
New Gallery Jerusalem Artists, Artists' House, 10-1, 4-6.
1) Gallery of portraits of famous Jews. 2) French Paintings and Sculptures from the Collection of the Museum. 3) Prehistory in Great Britain — air photographs of archaeological sites (a travelling exhibition of the British Council). Exhibit of the Month: A gold medal of the year 1665 on the birth of a Jewish boy in Amsterdam. Paintings and Drawings by Yosse Kaminik, Bezalel Museum, 9-1, 3-6.

★ Film Show: —
Keren Hayesod, for tourists and visitors. 11.30 a.m.

★ Tours: —
Hebrew University conducted tour New Administration Building, King George Ave., opposite Terra Sancta, 10 a.m.

TEL AVIV

★ Theatre: —
Ohel Theatre, "Eldorado," 8.30 p.m.
Ohel's "[illegible]" in "[illegible] and the Abandoned Children," Ohel Theatre, 4 p.m.

[illegible] HAIFA

★ Theatre: —
DO-RE-MI: "Shalom, Shalom," Israel Revue, "Eilat" Cinema, 8.45 p.m.

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At the Cinema

JEAN Cocteau's "L'Aigle a deux Têtes" (Orgil, J'lem), the screen version of the play of the same name by this author and the late Christian Berard, is not only something for the gourmet, but also one of the very few occasions on which cinema becomes an art. Cocteau modelled his Queen (Edwige Feuillère) on the figure of the Empress Elizabeth of Austria, though the deeply moving romance, between her and the anarchist poet (Jean Marais), who appears as the Angel of Death, is surrealistic. Due to the symbolic character of this fascinating play, the antagonists represent ideas rather than human beings. For a short while the queen becomes a woman and the anarchist becomes a man. "They betray their own causes in order to establish one new one," to quote Cocteau. There is, furthermore, the Queen's deaf and dumb negro servant Tony, to make the atmosphere more mysterious. The acting is splendid. So are the sets and the photography. The score, which makes use of some well-known Strauss waltzes and gypsy music, is by Georges Auric.

FRANGO

Thriller Without Tension

"THE Long Wait" at the Orion (Tel Aviv) is a Mickey Spillane murder mystery with the tightly packed plot centring round a supposed murderer who suffers from amnesia following a car accident. Although incident follows incident in rapid succession, little tension is evoked and only the surprise ending elicits a gasp. The main lead of Johnny McBride is played by Anthony Quinn whose purported fascination for women is difficult to understand. In a small role veteran actor Charles Coburn is excellent. Mediocre fare.

Fernandel in Morocco

"ALI Baba and the Forty Thieves" (Migdalor) is a farcical version of the well known story with Fernandel playing an Ali of more heart than sense. The great French comic is always a delight, although this role does not give him too much opportunity to display his particular gifts. Filmed in Morocco in colour. The background is interesting but the whole film lacks pace. Only fair entertainment.

S.W.

Cinemas

JERUSALEM
At 7.15 & 9.15 p.m.

ARMON: War Arrow.
EDEN: Flame and the Flesh, 2nd week.
EDISON: "Persiane Chiuse."
ORGIL: The Double-Headed Eagle.
STUDIO: Don Camillo, 2nd week.
ORION: Violent Saturday.
ORNA: Anna Cross.
RON: "Pieta Per Chi Cade."
ZION HALL: Here Come the Girls.
TEL-OR: The Planter's Wife.

TEL AVIV
At 4, 7.15 and 9.15 p.m.

ALLENBY: "Nerone e Messalina."
CHEN: The Glenn Miller Story.
ESTHER: Easy to Love, 3rd week.
MOGRABI: Hell and High Water, 2nd week.
OPHIR: "Casta Diva."
ORION: The Long Wait.
TAMAR: Unmarried Mothers.
YARON: Rear Window, 2nd week.
ZAMIR: Phffft, 5th week.

HAIFA

ARMON: Passionate Friends.
EN DOR: The Exile.
ORLY: "L'Affaire Maurizius."
ORION: Creature from the Black Lagoon.
ATZMON: The Long, Long Trailer.
PEER: "La Nave Delle Donne Maledette," 2nd week.
GAL OR: Rasputin.
Matinee: Bend of the River.
AMPHITHEATRE: Untamed.
ORAH: Sabrina.

ON THE AIR

FIRST PROGRAMME
382, 249, 39.5 & 42.9 M.

News: Hebrew: 7 a.m., 1.30, 6.00, 8.15, 9.30 & 11.00 p.m. Arabic Programme (including News): 8 a.m., 2.15 & 6.30 p.m.

6.30 a.m. Service. 6.35 Exercise. 6.45 Musical Clock (R). 7.15 Melodies (R). 9.00 Close Down.

12.00 N. "Music at Noon": Fred Astaire (R). 12.30 Music for two pianos. 12.50 Light Music (R). 1.45 "From Dan to Eilat" (R). 3.30 Close Down.

4.00 p.m. Oriental Sibot. 4.15 Programme for Hospitals. 4.45 Light Music (R). 5.05 Agricultural Programme. 5.15 Language Corner. 5.30 Children's Hour. 7.00 Folklore. 7.05 Haifa Programme. 7.30 Jewish Education in Milano: M. Schaumann. 7.45 Noah's Ark. 8.15 Bible Reading. 8.45 This Week in the U.N. 9.00 Kol Yisrael Orchestra, Conductor: Georg Singer, Soloist: Frank Pelleg (Piano) Overture "The Bartered Bride" (Smetana); Piano Concerto (Paul Ben-Haim); Symphony No. 1 (Schumann). 10.30 Short Story. 10.40 Nocturno (R). 11.10 Close Down.

SECOND PROGRAMME
497, 469, 235, 216, 41.9 & 13.3 M.

English News: 1.45, 10.00 p.m.
French News: 2.00 p.m.

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR (33.3, 34.9 & 469 M.): 6.15 p.m. Programme for Yemenites. 6.30 French. 7.00 Yiddish. 7.30 Ladino. 8.00 Persian. 8.15 Turkish. 8.30 Close Down. 8.45 Rumanian. 9.00 Hungarian. 9.15 Close Down.

KOL ZION LAGOLA (32.3 M.): (South Africa Programme): 6.30 p.m. From the Federation. Abe Tock. 6.35 "Ask the Expert" 6.55 Kol Zion Choir. 7.05 News.

12.00 p.m. News. 12.10 "Ask the Expert": Questions Answered by W. Eytan, M. Rosette, B. Cherrick, A. Hyma and Ch. Ataron. Chairman: T. Laurie. 12.30 Easy Conversation.

ARMY PROGRAMME (44.6, 216, 235 & 329 M.): 6.30 Opening. 6.35 "Bow and Arrow." 7.00 Musical Mosaic. 7.30 "Corps to Corps." 7.45 Noah's Ark. 8.15 Light Music. 8.30 News. 8.45 Humoresque. 9.35 Dance Music. 10.00 Close Down.

B.B.C. HEBREW BROADCASTS: (16.79, 19.42, 19.91, 25.15 M.): 7.30-8.00 p.m. News. News Talk. Echoes from the World.

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VISITORS' GALLERY

Political Twins

By MALKA RABINOWITZ
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Mr. Theodore R. McKeldin (shown above shaking hands with Prime Minister Sharett) is Governor of Maryland, a small State half way down the North Atlantic Seaboard. In the first half of the seventeenth century it made the observance of religious toleration a law. Mr. McKeldin, in whose home the America-Israel Society was founded last year, was recently re-elected Governor for a second term, the first Republican ever to be so honoured in normally-Democratic Maryland.

Judge Simon Sobeloff, (above on the right), who comes of an orthodox Jewish family, is Solicitor General of the U.S. and a leader of the American Jewish Congress. He and Mr. McKeldin met 25 years ago when both were rising young career men in Baltimore — Mr. McKeldin was Secretary to the Governor and Mr. Sobeloff was Deputy City Solicitor. The firm friendship which developed during the interval is such that, during an interview in the King David Hotel a few days ago, this reporter's head switched back and forth as at a tennis match as each visitor in turn completed, amended, approved or mildly censured the remarks of the other.

Mr. McKeldin, a Protestant, is extremely proud of the tradition of religious tolerance in his State, which he describes firmly as "a barren ground for bigots." But religious toleration is not the only reason which has led to his efforts for State of Israel Bonds (during one hectic week recently he launched a Bonds campaign in New York and Connecticut, flew across the country to California to continue the work there, and then back to Kansas City, Chicago, Richmond and Palm Beach) and his initiation of the America-Israel Society, a cultural organization whose letterhead reads like a Who's Who of American arts, letters and politics. Governor McKeldin says concisely: "I think the Gentiles are to a great extent responsible for the plight of the Jews; it is our duty to assist in establishing a homeland for them." The Society's headquarters in the Capital's Willard Hotel may be reached by cabling simply "Shalom, Washington, D.C."

Now on their second visit to Israel within three years, both visitors were impressed with the "phenomenal" progress that has been made. What did they think was the most important problem before the State? "Obviously, the problem is peace," Mr. Sobeloff answered. "I'm confident that my country will succeed in promoting that objective. We all see that this is not a simple thing but I'm sure that Mr. Dulles, under the direction of the President, is making every effort to that end." He added "One's imagination can hardly grasp what may be accomplished here when peace is established."

From a tourist's point of view, Mr. Sobeloff noted the improvement in the food situation since their last visit. "I remember a teeny little fish on a plate," interposed the Governor thoughtfully. "Now they wheel out a wagon of food as at the Waldorf."

Questioned on their political life, the conversation ran something like this:

McKeldin: "When I became Mayor, I appointed him City Solicitor."

Sobeloff: "He appointed me Chief Judge of the Maryland Court of Appeals when he was Governor."

McK.: "He was the first Jew ever to sit on the Court."

S.: "In Jewish affairs, I've been active in the American Jewish Congress."

McK: "He's active in all Jewish communal affairs. He's a Jew in practice as well as in name."

S.: "You see why we travel together."

"But don't call us fellow travellers," the Governor laughed.

Janner Talks With Old Soldiers

Jerusalem Post Bureau

TEL AVIV, Monday. — Old soldiers of the two World Wars got together here last night to hear Mr. Barnett Janner, M.P., President of the Board of Deputies of British Jews and of the Zionist Federation, address the local branch of the British Legion.

Mr. Janner, himself a veteran of World War I, spoke on the activities of the Association of Jewish ex-Servicemen in Britain, and of its close ties with this country.

Outlining the work of the Board of Deputies, he declared that it was no accident that its president also headed the Zionist Federation, as was also the case with the late Prof. Selig Brodetsky. The Board found no contradiction in its link with Zionism, since the interests of Britain and Israel were mutual, he said.

Mr. Janner was introduced by Dr. R. Katznelson, Chairman of the Jerusalem Branch of the British Legion, and by Mr. L. Arnold, Chairman of the Tel Aviv branch. Among the audience were Mr. D.M. Day, Second Secretary of the British Embassy, and Mr. Y. Nedivi, Tel Aviv Town Clerk.

Mr. Janner was earlier the guest of the Aden community in Israel at a tea held at the home of Mr. Shalom Yitzhak Cohen. The former Adenites wished to thank Mr. Janner for the help he proffered them when he flew to Aden in 1947 to investigate the riots against the ancient Jewish community there.

EMERGENCY PHARMACIES

JERUSALEM: Herzl, Rehov Jaffa, 5059; Bakshi, Mahane Yehuda, 3761.
TEL AVIV: Altman, 1 King George, 3791; Ahad Ha'am, 51 Ahad Ha'am, 5551; Yaffe, 172 Ben Yehuda, 24542; Hadassah, Hatikva Qr., 67654. JAFFA: Vita, 61 Rehov 61. RAMAT GAN: Lipshitz, 19 Herzl, 71771. RAMAT GAN BET: Israel, Herut Qr. HOLON: Briut, 104 Sokolow. PETAH TIKVA: Hayarkon.
HAIFA: Habriut, 55 Herzl, 4066; Hakochav, 26 Wadi Salib. KIRYAT MOTZKIN: Motzkin, 7202. SAFAD: Ha'ari. NAHARIYA: Merkaz.

EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS

JERUSALEM: Dr. Romanoff, 11 Arlosoroff, 61217; Dr. B. Davis, 9 Shlomo Molkho, 5762.
TEL AVIV: Dr. Shaham, 1 Syrkin, 26942; Dr. Sahar, 64 Sokolow, 26362; Dr. Griffel, 5 Ben Yehuda, 23496; Dr. Levitan, 11 Hayarden, 26507; JAFFA: Dr. Alimlay, 65 Rehov 4.
HAIFA: Dr. Sherman, 3 Hanevi'im, 2434; Dr. Ludwig, 34 Shivat Zion, 67427.

Italian Opera at Haifa After Tel Aviv Success

Jerusalem Post Bureau

TEL AVIV, Monday. — The Opera Lyrica Italiana moves to Haifa tonight for two performances and to Jerusalem later in the week for two further appearances after a rousingly successful two weeks here. So popular have their performances been that, after giving a series of shows in villages, they are to return here for four more.

The Z.O.A. open-air auditorium has been filled by 1,600 opera-lovers every night, and many enthusiasts came back to hear all the five popular operas in the repertoire of the 65-man Company.

The last of the 14 performances was given here last night with the usual hundreds of free listeners-in crowding the balconies and rooftops of neighbouring houses, or congregating outside, seated on trucks, stools, boxes or even stepladders.

Mr. Georg Singer conducted the 44-piece orchestra of local musicians in a first performance of "La Traviata."

DIPLOMATS SEE CHINESE FEATURE FILM

TEL AVIV, Monday. — The first Chinese feature film to reach Israel, "The Butterfly Lovers," had its first showing here on Friday and is likely to be generally released throughout the country shortly.

Diplomatic representatives of both Eastern and Western blocs attended the special presentation at the Matmid Cinema. The 16 mm. picture, which won a first prize at the Carlsbad International Film Festival last year, is being distributed by Lotos Ltd. of Tel Aviv and Kol-Or Films.

All the roles in this colour picture, presented by Hsao Hsing Opera Company, are played by women. Despite its length and unfamiliar idiom, the film was well received.

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Yesterday's Press

Israel Relies on Army To Reduce Tension

Both Israel's and Egypt's affirmative response to General Burns' cease-fire call is gratifying, writes "Davar" (Histadrut), but Israel will continue to insist on securing the life of her population and the inviolability of her borders. Although she will lend a hand to any international arrangement for lessening tension, she will also be ever ready to depend upon her defence forces to achieve that aim.

The choice between peace and war is in the hands of the Egyptians, writes "Hatzofe" (World Mizrahi Union) and Cairo's response to the cease-fire call will be treated in Israel with cautious reserve. In view of past experiences, she can adopt no other than a wait-and-see policy.

"Herut" regrets that the Khan Yunis job was left uncompleted in that our forces failed to clean out the region altogether. Israel must now be quick to exploit the international expression of sympathy for her and open a coordinated political and security offensive and at the same time keep a vigilant eye on her other borders. The Kinneret fishing season is almost upon us and a suitable reaction to the first Syrian attack will prevent further clashes and loss of life.

Syria's declaration that the rules of the Geneva Convention will no longer apply to captured Israel soldiers in retaliation for "Israel's treatment of Arab prisoners" is built on a network of lies, writes "Haboker" (General Zionist). Damascus at first claimed that the infiltrators who were caught in this country were "poor refugees who came to take a look at their property;" when that lie was exposed they were transformed into "irregulars" who were operating on their own. Now, with the large number of sentences the Israel authorities have had to impose, it seems that they are part of the suicide squads, and the Arab countries intend to claim for them the rights of soldiers acting under orders. If so, Israel now has reason to blame the Arab Commands for belligerent activity.

"Ha'aretz" (non-party) writes that it is easier to find a common denominator between four or five parties than between seven and therefore believes that the prospects of Ben-Gurion's efforts to set up a government resembling the Provisional Government are fast fading. The General Zionists have informed B-G that his basis of policy has no attraction for them but, though they have not slammed the door on further negotiation, it seems that Mapam's attitude is enough to keep them out of the government. Mapam has given B-G the choice between it and the General Zionists. How will Mapai decide?

"Zmanim" (Progressive) writes that the successful issue of a strike does not depend altogether upon the strikers' pressure but also needs public backing. In the present Kupat Holim-Physician impasse, it is the public that is footing the bill in being deprived of necessary medical attention. This strike, the paper says, was not called at a proper moment since some concession had just been made to the doctors with the door left open to further discussion.

J. DAVID'S POSTERS WIN MEDALS IN TOKYO

The Tourist Centre won two silver medals for posters exhibited in Tokyo last May, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry has stated.

A total of 195 posters were submitted by the 45 nations which took part in an exhibition on the encouragement of tourism through the graphic arts.

France, Switzerland and Germany each won a gold medal. Israel, Switzerland, Britain, Holland, Denmark and Japan shared the 12 silver medals. The winning Israel posters were by Jean David; one depicted Jonah in the whale and the other figures of the Patriarchs' days.

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Hungary, Yugoslavia Meeting To Iron Out Trade Troubles

BELGRADE, Monday (Reuter). — An Hungarian delegation under Mr. Laszlo Hay, Minister of Foreign Trade, is here to start talks today to settle debts and financial problems resulting from Yugoslavia's break with Cominform states in 1945.

The talks will be one of a series of contacts between Yugoslavia and Eastern European states aimed at annulling the Cominform states' economic blockade which ended last year.

The Yugoslav Vice-President, Mr. Svetozar Vukmanovic Tempo, last week signed an agreement in Moscow for large Soviet credits and aid to Yugoslavia.

At present, the Polish Foreign Trade Minister, Mr. Konstantin Dombrowski, is in Yugoslavia, and the Vice-President of the Serbian Government, Mr. Voja Lekovic, is in Bulgaria to explore possible increases of Yugoslav trade with Poland and Bulgaria respectively.

Under a five-year Yugoslav-Hungarian economic agreement signed in July, 1947, Hungary was to have given Yugoslavia 4,500m. dinars worth ($15m. at present exchange rates) of investment goods, but only delivered 360m. dinars worth ($1.2m.). Yugoslavia maintained that Hungary owes her $38m. for Yugoslav goods never paid for, and another $17.3m. for Hungarian goods ordered and paid for by Yugoslavia but never delivered.

In addition, in September, 1948, Hungary suspended payment of her $70m. war reparations to Yugoslavia.

It was expected that the two delegations would also discuss how to iron out difficulties in the implementation of the current one-year trade agreement. The agreement, signed in January, 1955, provided for a total exchange of $14m. but in the first six months of this year, only 28 per cent of it had been realised.

Yugoslav businessmen complain that Hungarian prices are high and that Hungary had been unable to deliver rolled steel goods as stipulated in the agreement. Hungary complains that Yugoslavia failed to send her the timber which had been ordered.

360 Students Seek 75 Med. School Places

Two hundred-eighty eight candidates have applied for admission to the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School for the new academic year, thirty-nine to the School of Pharmacy and thirty-three to the School of Dentistry. Fifty places are available at the Medical School, ten at the School of Pharmacy and fifteen at the Dentistry School. Successful candidates in the competitive entrance examinations will be invited to a personal interview with the Medical School Admissions Committee.

Progress has been made in the organization of postgraduate studies under the auspices of the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School. The general lines of the plan, as worked out by a faculty committee, have been approved by the Faculty Board, and the Kupat Holim administration has agreed to the main principles of the project, viz. that it be carried out under the auspices of the Medical School on a country-wide basis, including Government hospitals, the Malben institutions and the Hadassah Hospital in Tel Aviv, and that the organization should be centralised in the Medical School in Jerusalem.

First move in implementing the plan will be at the Beilinson hospital in Petah Tikva.

Dr. James A. Mann, Assistant Professor of Psychiatry in the Medical School at the University of Boston, Mass., is arriving in Israel this month to take up his duties as Visiting Head of the Department of Psychiatry at the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School. He has accepted the appointment for a year.

The Department was established in 1954, and is being maintained out of the $150,000 Julius and Marie Scheider Fund for Neuropsychiatry, established in New York on the basis of a bequest by the late Mr. Alfred M. Scheider.

A metabolism research unit has been established at the Hadassah-Hebrew University Hospital, and Dr. S.H. Blondheim, Instructor in Internal Medicine at the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School, has been put in charge for the next two years. Dr. Blondheim, a native of Baltimore, has been Chief Assistant Physician at the Hadassah-Hebrew University Hospital in Jerusalem since 1953.

The Medical School has also decided to establish a section for the History of Medicine and the subject is to be introduced into the curriculum.

Poland to Reduce Army by 47,000

LONDON, Monday (Reuter). — Poland will reduce her Army by 47,000 men before December 20 this year, Warsaw Radio announced last night. She is the fourth East European state to announce such a move, following the lead of the Soviet Union, Czechoslovakia, and Rumania last month.

The Soviets will reduce their army by 640,000 men by December 15, Czechoslovakia by 34,000 men by December 28, and Rumania by 40,000 men by December 1.

Albania will also reduce her armed forces by 9,000 men by the end of the year, the Albanian telegraph agency reported from Tirana today.

ISRAEL STUDENTS BACK FROM TURKISH TOUR

A group of 24 geography students of the Hebrew University, headed by Dr. D. Amiran, has returned to Israel after a three-week study tour of Turkey.

The students toured the country extensively, and visited the main towns of Istanbul, Bursa, Ismir, Ankara, Adana and Iskenderun. They were guided on their tour by Dr. S. Erinc, head of the Department of Geography of the University of Istanbul, and were accompanied by 10 geography students of that university.

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PROGRAMME: Of monthly group meetings which will take place on Wednesday, Sept. 7, 1955, at the Municipal High School "A," Rehov Bikurey Ha'itim, next to Rehov Hashmonaim opposite the new market.

Time and Group	Subject	Lecturer
7 p.m. Managers and Members of the Institute	The Israel Economy Goals for the Future	B.M. Gross Director of the Israel Institute of Productivity.
Production Engineers Production Technicians	Forms as an aid to better control	Mr. K. Fuchs "Fuchs Organisation"
Graduates of Cost Accounting Courses	How we introduced a uniform price in the cigarette industry	Mr. Milstein Dubek Ltd.
Foremen and Graduates of Time and Motion Study courses	The status of the Swedish Foreman and Worker.	Mr. E. Ron, who has returned from a study trip of the Scandinavian countries.
Storekeepers and Caterers	The demands of the Production Manager of the stores	Eng. J. Doriel "Tichnun ve-Yiul"
8.15 p.m. Intermission		
8.30 p.m. All groups	Industrial Productivity in small countries.	Dr. L. Kerkhoven, Dutch Productivity Expert, U.N. Adviser to the Israel Institute of Productivity.

Municipal Corporation of Jerusalem

NOTICE No. 24/55

Notice Referring to the Deposit of Town Planning Scheme No. 62, Modification No. 1, 1955, to the Jerusalem Outline Town Planning Scheme, 1944.

In accordance with section 16 (2) of the Town Planning Ordinance 1936, and with reference to the above scheme, notice of whose deposit was published in the Yalkut Hapirsumim (Notice and appointments) No. 418, of June 2, 1955,

I hereby draw the attention to the above notice of all religious bodies whose property is affected by this scheme and of all commissions established for the protection of holy sites in Israel in the case of any land which comprises or is in the neighbourhood of a holy site — and that they may examine a copy of this scheme in the offices of the City Engineer of the Jerusalem Municipality and may lodge objections to the above scheme within two months commencing on the date of publication of this notice.

Objections are to be sent to the chairman of the Local Town Planning Commission, Jerusalem.

S. B. Yeshaya.
Mayor of Jerusalem

Jerusalem, Sept. 2, 1955.

GIANTS SUSPEND JOHNNY ANTONELLI

PHILADELPHIA, Monday (UP) —Johnny Antonelli, of the New York Giants, the National League's leading pitcher of 1954, was suspended indefinitely yesterday for his conduct on the mound and in the dugout when he was lifted for a relief pitcher in Sunday night's game with the Philadelphia Phillies.

The 25-year-old southpaw first refused to hand over the ball to Coach Freddy Fitzsimmons and then stalked angrily from the mound as Ramon Monzant replaced him with two Philadelphia runners on base and only one out with the Giants ahead 3-2. Antonelli had given up seven hits, including a home run and three doubles, before he was removed.

Manager Leo Durocher said that Antonelli complained of being unfairly treated in being yanked out with the Giants ahead. He said that Antonelli threatened to go back to New York immediately. Durocher then said that he was free to go if he wished and Antonelli took a train to New York. Antonelli had 11 wins and 16 losses this season in contrast to his 1954 mark of 21 victories and seven defeats. He won the second game of the World Series and helped save the final game in the Giants' four-game sweep over the Cleveland Indians for the world championship. Antonelli has not won two complete games in a row since last May 1.

HINDMAR BREAKS WORLD WALK "HIGH"

STOCKHOLM, Monday (Reuter). — Lars Hindmar, of Sweden, broke the world walking record for five miles (8 kms) last week with a time of 34 mins. 49.8 secs. in the Gothenburg Games.

The official record of 35:15; was set by Ronald Hardy (Britain) in London in May 1952 but this has since been beaten by both Hindmar and the Czech Josef Dolezal.

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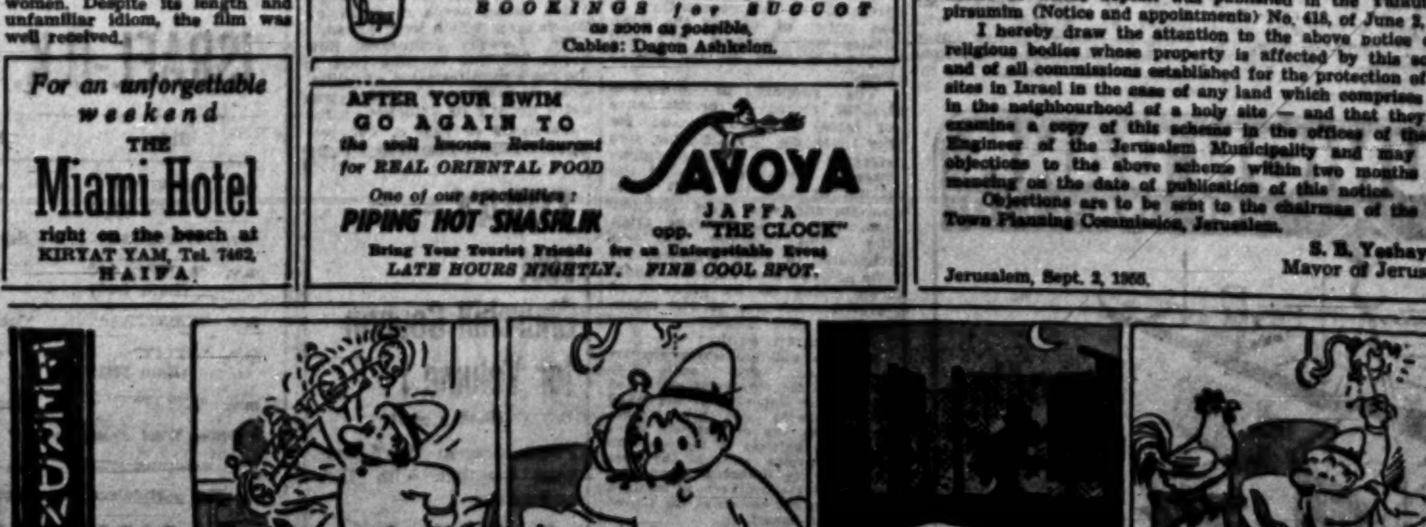

Today's Postbag

THE WEATHER

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Mt. Cana'an	50	21	32	30
Tiberias	42	26	37	35
Haifa Port	65	26	30	29
Natanya	68	21	33	30
Tel Aviv Port	74	23	29	28
Lydda Airport	46	19	32	31
Jerusalem	49	20	31	30
Beersheba	44	19	35	33
Eilat	15	29	42	40

*A) Humidity at 3 p.m. B) Minimum temp. C) Maximum yesterday. D) Maximum temp. expected today.

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A TORCH will be lit on the roof of the National Library on Mount Scopus, above the room which was used by Dr. Judah L. Magnes, when his remains are re-interred at Sanhedria Cemetery in Jerusalem today.

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A HAIFA MUNICIPAL clerk, Rajia Ben Halil, 40, has been arrested on suspicion of stealing IL400-worth of office equipment from the municipal stores in the past two months.

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TWO MEN of the Abu Assameh Beduin tribe were ordered detained yesterday for ten days by a Jerusalem Magistrate on charges of being in possession of 16 rounds of rifle ammunition near Sde Boker last Friday.

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TWO HAIFA factory owners, Yehiel and Ze'ev Prizovitch, were brought before the Haifa Magistrate's Court yesterday and charged with preparing 50 kilos of camel meat for sausages at their factory in the Haifa Bayside area.

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FOR TEARING UP his Army call-up booklet in the Enlistment Office in Jerusalem, Yehezkel Yamin, 17, of Jerusalem, was yesterday fined IL20 by a Jerusalem Magistrate. He pleaded that he tore up the booklet in a fit of rage brought on by a request to bring his parents to the office.

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FOR BACKING UP without due care, thereby overturning his lorry and injuring two workers, Yitzhak Yehoshua, 23, of Jerusalem, was yesterday fined IL100 by a Jerusalem Magistrate. The accident took place near the Kastel ma'bara on March 29.

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TWO NEW settlements are to be established in the Lachish area during this week — Nehusha, next to Beit Govrin, and Gefen, near Haruvit, bringing to 12 the total of settlements established in this area during the summer.

TURKEY TAKES MOST OF EXPORTS

HAIFA, Monday. — Exports leaving the port here rose again last week to a total of 6,388 tons. Most of it, 4,459 tons, was cement, Turkey receiving 4,289 tons. The rest was composed of 55 different items shipped to 22 countries.

Turkey took top spot in variety by receiving 21 commodities, including tires and telephones. Scrap iron (840 tons) and plywood (161 tons) took second and third place in tonnage exported, the former going to Belgium and Holland, and most of the plywood leaving for Finland, which also took 15 other items.

Norway received 1.5 tons of cosmetics, England 1.7 tons of halva, Kenya, the Belgian Congo and the Barbados bought about a ton each of olive oil, Germany bought a few carpets.

RATION NEWS

JERUSALEM DISTRICT: Eggs: 3, coupon 31, Temp. 6, price for "Extra," 80 pr., Aleph, 70 pr., Bet, 65 pr. Coffee: 60 gm., Daled and Heh, coupon 4, Temp. 12, 240 pr. Tea: 50 gm. Daled and Heh cards, 100 gm., Gimmel, coupon 2, Temp. 12, 250 pr. Local Jam: 300 gm., coupon 6, Temp. 17, 200 gm. of sugar may be substituted for jam when coupon 6 is presented with coupon 7 of new book, 54 pr.

TEL AVIV AND SOUTHERN DISTRICT: September rations: Oil ration has begun in Tel Aviv District, Rehovot, Petah Tikva, Natanya and Ramla, 400 gm. (145 gm. olive oil at 225 pr., and 255 gm. regular oil at 170 pr.), coupon 10, Temp. 3. In Southern District, 400 gm., coupon 10, Temp. 3, 380 pr. Margarine: 400 gm., coupon 9, Temp. 4, 280 pr. Eggs: 3, coupon 31, Temp. 6.

HAIFA, HADERA, AND NORTHERN DISTRICTS: Eggs: 3, coupon 31, Temp. 6. Expectant mothers: 18, coupons 23, 24, Invalids: 4, Het Aleph 1, 2, Het Bet 9, 8, Het Gimmel 9. Poultry: 250 gm., Tav 21, Temp. 22. Expectant mothers: 750 gms., Heh 5, Invalids: 500 gm., Het Aleph 8, Het Bet 9. Local butter: Aleph and Bet, 100 gm., Tav 6. Sugar: 1 kg. per person, additional 500 gm. for Aleph coupon 7, Temp. 3. Jam: 300 gm. or 200 gm. sugar, coupon 6, Temp. 17. Cornflour: 600 gm., Aleph, no coupon, temp. 29, 280 pr. Coffee: in Haifa and Hadera districts, ration no. 9, 60 gm. for Daled and Heh, coupon 4, Temp. 12, 240 pr.

Khoushy Re-Elected in Haifa; Jerusalem, Tel Aviv Stalled

Jerusalem Post Bureau

HAIFA, Monday. — In a quiet, 39-minute session of the new Municipal Council this evening, Mr. Abba Khoushy, Mapai, was re-elected Mayor. With the Progressive Councillor, Dr. G. Kaminka, a former strong opponent of the Mayor, joining the coalition, Mr. Khoushy now enjoys a two-thirds majority in the 21-member Council.

Mr. Khoushy was the only candidate, after Mr. Shabtai Levy (Sephardi General Zionists), a former Mayor, withdrew his candidature, which had been put forward by the General Zionists and Herut members.

With Mr. Khoushy himself not voting, the other seven Mapai Councillors, two of Ahdut Ha'avoda and one each of Mapam, Agudat Israel, Mizrahi and Progressives, gave him 13 votes, against five votes of the General Zionist and Herut members, with the Sephardi and Communist Councillors abstaining.

The question of deputies was left in abeyance until the next session in a fortnight.

The Council then passed to "ordinary business", giving formal approval without opposition to loans totalling IL325,000 for school buildings.

Mr. Kaminka explained to the press that he had joined the coalition following an appeal by the Mayor "which showed that Mr. Khoushy wished to leave the narrow political and class basis of his outgoing coalition."

Before the session started, the Council rose in memory of the 58 El Al plane disaster victims, among them Dr. M. Felixbrodt, who had been elected to the Council as a General Zionist.

Mr. Khoushy then formally addressed the Councillors, saying: "You have been elected as party representatives, but I hope that in your work for the town you will free yourselves of narrow-mindedness and division and strive for unity and cooperation."

After opposition members had explained their stand, the Councillors and public were invited to refreshments.

Religious Bloc Holds Balance in Tel Aviv

Jerusalem Post Bureau

TEL AVIV, Monday. — None of the candidates for Mayor received the required number of votes for election at the first meeting of the newly elected Council here today, and a further vote will be taken tomorrow.

Mrs. Golda Myerson, M.K., the Mapai candidate, topped the list with 13 votes from her own party, Ahdut Ha'avoda and Mapam. Mayor Haim Levanon (General Zionist) received the eight votes of his party, and Mr. I. Ichilov (Herut), the five Herut votes.

The three members of the Orthodox bloc were absent and the lone Progressive and Communist Councillors abstained from voting. It is believed that Herut will support Mr. Levanon when the decisive vote is taken.

The Communist Councillor announced that his party deplored Mapai's refusal to enter negotiations for Communist support of Mrs. Myerson.

After the vote, a formal request that the meeting be adjourned until tomorrow was made in accordance with the law, and the meeting closed, having taken just 20 minutes. The Council Hall was filled with many spectators, while a small crowd waited outside the building to hear the result.

The religious bloc Hapoel Hamizrahi-Mizrahi (2) and Agudat Israel (1) have not yet announced whether they will support Mrs. Myerson or Mr Levanon. The political committee of Mizrahi is to meet again tomorrow.

HUSSEIN VISITING SAUD

AMMAN, Monday (Reuter). — King Hussein of Jordan left here today for a three-day visit to Saudi Arabia at the invitation of King Saud. They will discuss recent clashes on the Arab-Israel borders, and general questions.

Double Repetition In Capital's Council

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Jerusalem Municipal Councillors continued to mark time yesterday in their second and third votes for Mayor of the Capital, casting their ballots identically with the first ballot on Sunday.

The law provides that the fourth and all subsequent ballots must be held tonight until a mayor is elected, but the Councillors can easily by-pass the law by the simple expedient of not forming a quorum, either by not appearing for the meeting or leaving between votes.

In the fifth and all subsequent votes, if no one is elected by a majority of the votes, the candidate receiving the least number of votes is dropped. If two receive an equally low number of votes, one is to be rejected by lots cast by the chairman. No more candidates can be proposed as the list is closed with the third ballot.

Only minute variations were evident between the three ballots cast. Even the intonations of Mr. S.B. Yeshaya, Acting Mayor, were identical each time as he called the Council to order, read the law, asked for candidates, and held the vote.

Mr. Gershon Agron (Mapai) received his party's six votes and one of Ahdut Ha'avoda; Mr. Daniel Auster (Progressive) received his party's two votes and WIZO's one; Dr. Arye Altman (Herut), Rabbi Moshe Porush (Agudat Israel); Mr. Yitzhak Kariv (Mizrahi), received the four, three and three votes of their parties respectively. Mr. Meir Grossman (General Zionist) continued to abstain. It was even the same Councillor, Mr. Moshe Gevirtsman, who moved that the meeting be adjourned.

GOV'T APPOINTS COUNCIL FOR ASHKELON — MIGDAL

ASHKELON, Monday. — The Minister of Interior has appointed a 15-member Municipal Council for the combined Ashkelon-Migdal Ashkelon township. The Council consists of 5 Mapai Councillors, 3 Hapoel Hamizrahi, 1 each of Mapam, Ahdut Ha'avoda and Herut, as well as 4 representatives of the Afridar Company.

The merger is to be gazetted shortly.

REHOVOT COUNCIL MEETING CANCELLED

REHOVOT, Monday. — Because only five of the 15 Councillors came to the first meeting tonight of the Local Council, the sitting was cancelled. Representatives of Mapai, which has four seats, Mapam, Ahdut Ha'avoda, Hapoel Hamizrahi, the Progressives, Sephardim and Yemenites absented themselves.

No date has yet been fixed for the next meeting.

SISTER FINDS SISTER LIVING NEARBY

Two sisters who had not seen each other for 14 years were re-united by the Missing Persons Bureau of the Jewish Agency when it was found that both of them had lived a short distance from each other in this country for the past eight years.

Mrs. R. Kamm (nee Kleinmann) of Givatayim, wrote to the Bureau on July 26 requesting help in searching for her younger sister, Rivka Kleinmann, with whom she had lost contact 14 years before in Russia.

The Bureau files showed that Rivka had been in a kibbutz movement in Lodz, Poland in 1946 and continued the search within Israel. After hearing the Bureau's radio broadcast on July 31, Rivka Kleinmann wrote to the Bureau giving her address in Ramat Gan and the two sisters were re-united.

Work of 20 Israel Artists Going to U.S.

TEL AVIV, Monday. — The works of some 20 Israel artists which are to be exhibited in California next year in probably the most ambitious exhibition from this country to be shown in the U.S., were shown to the press at the Accadia Hotel here this evening.

The exhibition is being organised by the Jerusalem Art Centre in New York, whose director, Miss Estha Mann, is returning to the U.S., via Europe, in a few days, after choosing works from which the final selection will be made. Every kind of art form, from oil paintings to woodcuts, will be included in the 120 items.

Miss Mann told *The Jerusalem Post* that the exhibition will be shown at the San Francisco Museum and five other museums in California. She is taking back with her a 40-minute film on Israel which will be used by the Centre to accompany lectures.

The need for more local art to be shown in the U.S., particularly that of younger artists, was mentioned by Dr. T.H. McGrail, Cultural Attache at the U.S. Embassy, who recently returned from home leave. There was great interest in such art, he said, and in Boston he had found people still talking about the exhibition of seven Israel painters held there in 1953.

Many artists whose works will be included in the exhibition were among the audience, including Rubin and Mane Katz, who has returned specially from France in order to execute a painting for the show.

Emma and Herbert Smith would like to thank
Mrs. Bertha Urdang
for her ingenuity and good taste in designing their living-room on a very limited budget. They wish her good luck in her new venture, the Rina Gallery of Arts and Crafts, where they are sure the same ingenuity and good taste can be enjoyed by all discriminating shoppers, both tourists and local people.

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Dr. Arnold (Aharon) Hildesheimer
to the memorial meeting which will take place at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, September 8, 1955, at the plant of Palestine Edible Products Ltd., Julius Simon Rd., Haifa Bay.
A special bus will leave from the Armon Theatre, Hadar Hacarmel, at 10.45 a.m.

Israel Cement Comes In Nick of Time

BRIDGEPORT, Connecticut, Monday (INA). — The Israel cement brought aboard the Israel freighter Tamar last week "arrived at a critical time," the "Bridgeport Post" commented yesterday. The Tamar was the first Israel ship to dock at a Connecticut port and brought the first cargo of cement from Israel.

"The cement is in great demand at the moment because of the recent flood which wrecked so many buildings," the paper said.

Visiting Bankers Get First-Hand Reports

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The four visiting vice-presidents of prominent U.S. banking institutions toured Jerusalem yesterday and heard first-hand reports on the country's economic position from high Government and Jewish Agency officials.

On Sunday night, they were received by Prime Minister Sharett, who discussed with them the effect of North African immigration on the nation's economy.

Yesterday morning Mr. David Horowitz, Governor of the Bank of Israel, was their host to breakfast. Mr. Horowitz spoke of the measures taken during the past two years to combat inflation and the progress made in that period in stabilising the currency.

The group toured Mt. Zion and Kiryat Anavim, where they had lunch. In the afternoon they attended the passing out parade of officer cadets at the Kirya stadium, and later met with Maj.Gen. E.L.M. Burns, Chief of Staff of the Truce Supervision Organization, at the King David Hotel.

The visitors were the guests of the Treasurer of the Jewish Agency, Dr. Giora Josephthal, for supper at Pension Greta Ascher. The Minister of Finance, Mr. Levi Eshkol, joined them briefly on the eve of his trip to the U.S.

In the evening they visited the offices of *The Jerusalem Post*, where they had an informal chat with the Editor, Mr. Gershon Agron.

The group consists of Messrs. M. Lester Mendell, of Bankers Trust; Peter White, of the Manufacturers Trust Co.; R. Stevenson, of the National City Bank of New York, and Pierce Onthank, of the Chemical Corn Exchange Bank.

Spanish Tourists Come with Sugar

HAIFA, Monday. — A group of 38 tourists from Spain and a shipment of 7,400 tons of sugar from Mexico, arrived here in the Spanish s.s. Monte Ulia this morning.

The visitors, who include two Barcelona Jews and two priests, will tour the country until the cargo is unloaded on September 13. They will then continue their Mediterranean trip, joined by another 51 tourists who left the ship at Cyprus to see the Arab countries. The visit to Israel was organised by Peltours.

The tourists, mainly professional and businessmen, paid from 5,000 to 19,000 pesetos ($125 to $475) each for the trip which lasts several weeks and takes them to some 10 ports. They explained the low prices by the fact that money was scarce in Spain, where a labourer earns about 20 pesetos (IL1.—) per day.

ESHKOL REQUESTS ENQUIRY

The Finance Minister, Mr. Levi Eshkol, has asked the State Controller to investigate the handling of the income tax file of the late Mr. Lipa Bronstein, owner of the Kedem book store in Tel Aviv. He is alleged to have suffered a heart attack and died during an investigation of his books by the income tax authorities.

An official announcement stated esyterday that Mr. Eshkol had taken this step following the publication of accusations in several papers in connection with Mr. Bronstein's death.

Boy Crushed by Truck

A ten-year-old boy who jumped on to the running board of a truck was crushed to death in Jerusalem on Sunday afternoon.

Police investigation showed that the boy, Reuven Rahamim, who was playing near his house in the Mahane Yehuda quarter, jumped on to the truck of Mr. Yeshayahu Ben-David, 38, of Tel Aviv, as the vehicle was entering Rehov Shikma. When the truck neared the pavement, the boy was swept off his perch by a garbage can and crushed to death by a rear wheel of the vehicle before the eyes of his mother and a friend.

ACRE, Monday. — Saleh Mussa Hejasi, 35, of Kfar Tamra, was fatally injured and three others were slightly hurt when a lorry overturned on the Ahiut-Shfar'am road this morning. Hejasi died on the way to the Shfar'am clinic. The others were sent home after treatment. The driver was detained.

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Primary Schools Open Doors to 250,000

Jerusalem Post Reporter

More than 250,000 children streamed into 980 primary schools throughout the country yesterday morning to begin the winter term. For the pupils of the seven upper grades, it was generally only a question of moving from one room to another within the same building but the first-graders presented a variety of problems, most of them to their mothers.

Classes lasted for only an hour in most schools. This was sufficient time to organize the pupils and acquaint them with their teachers. Classes are to start in earnest this morning.

At one school in Jerusalem, a smartly dressed mother brought her son to the schoolyard in a taxi and stood outside nervously crumpling a handkerchief while he marched in bravely to face a new world.

Another first grader was escorted by his "big brother", evidently a pupil in the second grade.

In Jerusalem, the usual last-minute hitches occurred and scores of mothers queued up at the Municipality's Education Department. In most cases, officials said, they could have come weeks and even months earlier. Most of the mothers wanted to transfer their children to another school, either nearer home or in a different neighbourhood. Generally, the requests were refused outright, although exceptions were made if the child was disabled or an invalid and it was physically easier for him to reach another school. In some cases, parents came to register their children for the first time.

70 in Jerusalem

There are 22,500 pupils attending 70 primary schools in Jerusalem. The Municipality has ordered 1,000 new desks which should be ready within a fortnight. At present, there is some shifting of furniture from one school to another to meet the needs of expanded classes.

A total of 18,920 children are at Agudat Israel (Orthodox) schools this year throughout the country. Of this number, 277 are transfers from State Orthodox schools.

Ulpanim (Hebrew study classes for adults) throughout the country also began a new school year yesterday. Morning ulpanim will have 30 hours of study a week, while those meeting in the evening will have four, six, eight, or 16 hours weekly. These schools are supported by the local authorities and public bodies with the aid and supervision of the Ministry of Education.

Graduates receive Government certificates after completing classes in Hebrew conversation, reading, writing, basic Jewish cultural studies, Bible, legenda, citizenship and singing.

1,800 TRAFFIC CHARGES A WEEK

Eight hundred and seventy-five cases of negligent and dangerous driving and 579 cases of excessive speeding were among the 3,675 traffic offences registered by the Traffic Police during the past two weeks.

During the same period, 210 cases of blinding and defective lighting in moving vehicles were noted. Also registered were 278 offences by pedestrians and cyclists, and 66 cases of driving vehicles with mechanical defects. Twenty-four of such vehicles were ordered off the road.

Eilat Culture Centre Dedicated

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platform). He spoke of American Labour Day and the ideals it stood for, pointing to the similar "supreme courage of the pioneer" that manifested itself in the American and Israeli labour movements. The Ambassador referred to the pictures in the adjacent library where the U.S. Information Service had arranged an opening exhibition of the American Trade Unions, and mentioned the likeness to Israel Labour.

The President of the Communication Workers Union, who is Vice-President of the C.I.O., spoke of the spiritual force of Philip Murray, who died fighting for the cause of the working man, a spirit which would accompany the working force that was building Eilat — the gateway to the East and the South — and building Israel — a great and good country.

The Governor of the State of Maryland, Mr. Theodore McKeldin, who is also president of the Israel-America Society recalled the parallel with Dr. Chaim Weizmann's account of the laying of the cornerstone of the Hebrew University on Mt. Scopus in 1918 in the midst of Allenby's battle for Palestine, which was then a "great act of faith." The Construction of this "cultural building in what yet seems a desert waste, beside a port from which the lingering animosities do not permit ships to sail, is one of the greatest acts of faith in the future of Israel."

Mr. Reuther was given a standing ovation when he arose to speak of this "frontier of struggle where life is hard and the challenge is great, and where you are fighting and building in the spirit of Philip Murray. He didn't conquer a desert, but he 'conquered a social jungle in the United States.'

"We are not here swinging the picks and blasting the guns, but we are here in spirit beside you," he declared, referring to the great friendship and understanding between American Labour and the Histadrut. He promised to come back in 10 years' time, "to see this building having become the centre of a great city with the desert around it blooming and with ships standing in your harbour."

Mr. A. Tepper, Secretary of the local Labour Council, pledged that the Council would make the new Centre worthy of the memory of Philip Murray and thanked the C.I.O. for their gift.

The building has cost over IL350,000, of which $100,000 are the gift of the Philip Murray Foundation and the remainder of the Histadrut. It was designed by Hanna and Abba Elhanani, and many architectural devices have been utilized to provide as cool and restful a retreat as possible from the blazing heat of the town, including an open-shingled courtyard to provide light without sun, a latticed-brick double wall over which water trickles and cools the hot dry wind blowing through.

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Egyptians Now Prefer 'Burns' Brand Hashish

CAIRO, Monday (Reuter). — Egyptian police today arrested a drug pedlar and seized 49 packages of hashish labelled "General Burns" after the Chief of Staff of the U.N. Truce Supervision Organization.

Recently a "Marilyn Monroe" brand of hashish was smoked in Cairo hashish dens. During the war narcotics were labelled "Churchill" and "Spitfire."

Power Line Planned For North Galilee

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TIBERIAS, Monday. — The Palestine Electric Company has started to survey ground for a power line to Kiryat Shmoneh in Upper Galilee. The line will probably start at the Afikim transformer.

At present, the main network stops at Rosh Pina, and all settlements further north obtain power from their own Diesel generators. The line, part of a scheme to electrify the entire Galilee, is intended primarily for an industrial area in the new town and for public and domestic lighting to make possible the settlement there of thousands of newcomers from North Africa. It is expected that a thousand families will arrive there during the coming year.

The Company is making great efforts to complete the line by next June. At present, the town gets its power from a 200 kilowatt generator that hardly suffices for minimum needs. The lack of electricity is one cause for residents leaving.

After the line is completed, work will start on subsidiary lines to Galilee and Hula Valley settlements, now short of power for irrigation, industry and lighting.

J'lem's Cinema Owners Fear Total Close-down

Cinema owners in Jerusalem threaten that they will close down completely. No matinees have been held in the capital for a week. The American film companies' representatives have warned the Jerusalem cinema owners that unless there are three daily performances as specified in the contract between the companies and the cinema owners, in the very near future they will stop supplying films to Jerusalem.

It is understood that the European film companies' representatives are thinking along the same lines and the cinema owners are anxious, in the belief that they will receive the same ultimatum from them in the next few days.

The film companies' distributors have taken this stand because they do not want to see a precedent set of only two showings a day.

In the meantime, no negotiations have been held between the Government and the cinema owners on the possibility of reducing the taxes. Matinees have been dropped because the owners say they are unprofitable.

The Jerusalem cinema owners are meeting today with representatives of the Israel Cinema Owners Association to discuss the future of Jerusalem's cinemas.

BEN-GURION

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no parallel between the ability of our army seven years ago and its ability today...

"The seven years which have elapsed since the end of our War of Independence have been grey years, as it were, "little" years, years of daily toil over the absorption of immigrants, for the building of settlements, housing estates, factories, workshops, and means of communication on land, at sea and in the air. They were years of empty squabbles and barren internal disputes, but also of modest intellectual conquests in the fields of science, research, literature and art.

"The Israel Defence Forces did not lag behind in the continuous raising of its mental and moral standard. From year to year its courage, loyalty and brotherhood grew and even—if I may say so—its spirit to sacrifice, that is to say, the readiness of its men to surrender their life for a personal and national ideal. I do not know whether there is in our nation a body more united, more devoted and more inspired with a sense of mission than the Israel Defence Forces.

"The security of Israel will not rest on its armed forces alone. The ingathering of the exiles and their integration; the development of deserts and their settlement; the increasing of the standards of man in Israel, the raising of his ability, standing and responsibility — together with the increase in the total strength of the people, its moral, professional and economic stature — only through these can the nation prosper and flourish.

"It is the taks of every commander to pursue the raising of the levels of his subordinates from backward countries and to impart to them all the values of equality and freedom of our Jewish and general heritage, so that they may return as instructors and educators to their brethren, holding high the torch of Jewish brotherhood which sheds its light and warmth on all of us in equal measure.

"The Israel Defence Forces are required to train their soldiers not only for the defence of our homeland in the hour of need, but also to build it and settle it...

"Every young man or woman joining our army must receive not only professional military training but also Hebrew and general education if they lack it. Every soldier must be a bearer of the values of Israel and the legacy of the nation at least at elementary school level and as far as possible on that of secondary school standard. The army as a whole must serve as a moral bastion and creative centre for the spirit of a unified and united, literate, heroic and peace-loving people.

"The determination of the structure of the army is the responsibility and privilege of its commanders. A commander worthy of his mission will not do this with the help of commands and discipline but through his own living inspiring example. Only a commander who can evoke in the hearts of his men confidence and devotion, courage and bravery, through his own exemplary conduct and personality — can fulfil his mission in our army faithfully and successfully..."

After the ceremony, the graduates marched from Binyanei Ha'ooma, in the Romema Quarter, through the centre of town to Beit Hanassi where they were received by President and Mrs. Ben-Zvi.

Israel-Arab Settlement Most Essential, Fabregat

TEL AVIV, Monday. — Peace and solidarity between Israel and her Arab neighbours was the problem which was of more immediate importance than the implementation of the U.N. decision which called for the setting up of two independent states. This opinion was proferred today by Prof. R. Fabregat, head of the Uruguay delegation to the U.N. who was a member of UNSCOP eight years ago.

Prof. Fabregat told the press here today that he considered Israel "a great nation and a great country." The people of Israel, he said, were doing everything in order to build a truly democratic nation.

TWO BOYS — Samuel Weinstein, 17, and Yonatan Levy, 18 — were arrested in Tel Aviv yesterday in connection with the theft of watches worth IL3,000 from a shop owned by Mr. Joseph Silberstein of Kfar Ata.

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Cables in Brief

MILITARY. — A Jordan military mission led by the Defence Minister returned to Amman yesterday after a 12-day visit to Turkey at the invitation of the Turkish Defence Minister.

AWARD. — Italian film director Vittorio de Sica was awarded the 1955 David O. Selznick Golden Laurel trophy in Edinburgh by a panel of American experts. The award is made each year at the Edinburgh International Festival to the film maker whose work has contributed most to international understanding.

WORKERS. — U.S. employment reached a new record in August with 65,500,000 Americans at work. Unemployment dropped by about 250,000 from July when the Government reported 2,471,000 persons out of work.

MOUNTIES. — Royal Canadian mounted police are hunting John Petlock, 35, wanted on a charge of murdering his 72-year-old widowed mother, his brother and sister-in-law, and their two young daughters.

37 Die in California Heat Wave

LOS ANGELES, Monday (UP). — Six days of blistering heat which last Thursday set a record of 110 degrees (43.3°C) have contributed to the death of 37 persons.

Beach crowds in the Los Angeles area were estimated at more than one million persons, a new record. Beach temperatures were 25 degrees lower than in the downtown area. The heat wave also caused raging brush fires all over California, and 45,000 acres were estimated to have been damaged.

In the San Francisco area, a sharp, rolling earthquake toppled chimneys, burst water mains, and knocked pedestrians to the ground last night, and jarred residents within a 240-kms. radius of the city. Damage, although widespread, was not estimated as major.

Nehru Rejects Passive Rallies on Goa

NEW DELHI, Monday (Reuter). — The Working Committee of India's ruling Congress Party yesterday passed a resolution opposing all *satyagraha* — passive demonstrations — by Indians in the Portuguese territory of Goa. Premier Nehru told a closed meeting of the Committee that a heavy responsibility had been placed on the Government with the adoption of the resolution.

"I do not know how long it will take to solve the Goa problem but this much I know — in the end we will succeed," he said. An outline of his speech was given by a party spokesman at the end of the meeting.

Mr. Nehru said Congress was so far very clear that there was no question of taking police or military action in Goa, and that mass *satyagraha* was not proper. Earlier the door had been left open for individual volunteers to offer *satyagraha* but the position had now been made clear beyond doubt.

AMERICAN FRIENDS OF UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, Monday (INA). — Mr. Daniel G. Ross has been elected President of the American Friends of the Hebrew University. Mr. Ross is member of the Board of Governors of the University, and also serves as Chairman of the National Planning Committee of the Jewish Theological Seminary.

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Economic News from Abroad

U.S. Boom to Continue 1956

● A high level of economic activity is already being predicted in the U.S. on the basis of a continued construction boom. The recent increases in interest rates are seen not as a move to slow down this development, but as a precaution against an excessive expansion of credit for consumer spending or an ephemeral rise of production after the coming inventory boom. The Administration fears that increased demand may inflate prices and wages, while a consequent slump may necessitate pump-priming policy and deficitory finance, which is contrary to the Republican business philosophy. The next stage in the present prosperity period is likely to be a large-scale replenishment of stocks.

Iraq's Lubricant Plant

● Work is to start shortly on the construction in Baghdad of Iraq's first lubricating oil plant. The contract, worth £3.85m., was awarded to a British company by Iraq's Oil Refineries Administration. The plant is to be completed in two years, and will produce 35,000 tons of lubricants annually.

To Cut German Building

● A temporary slowdown in housing and building programmes is being discussed by West German authorities in order to ease the growing inflationary pressure on Bonn's fully-stretched economy. Building costs have gone up by nine per cent over the past 12 months and shortages in building materials are causing frequent delays. There is also a lack of skilled building workers. In other industries, however, output seems to be matching demand, and the backlog of steel works is no longer rising, though this may be owing to the producers' reluctance to accept new orders. A marked increase has also taken place in the production of consumer goods, but the higher turnover of the retail trade is sustained by the increased level of earnings. In fact, hourly wages in German industries are now about six per cent higher than a year ago, and gross income from wages and salaries has risen by 13 per cent.

Turkish Import Reorganisation

● Turkish exporters have been allowed to employ part of their foreign exchange proceeds for the import of certain essential goods, as a preliminary step to a new foreign trade regime to be introduced shortly. The list of free imports includes mining equipment, industrial machinery and spare parts for tractors, machines and transport vehicles, all of which have now become so scarce that production and communication services are handicapped. Under the new system, only investment goods and essential raw materials will be imported on credit terms.

India's Steel Plans

● India's second five-year plan envisages a doubling of iron and steel production by private industry. It is to reach 3.2m. tons by 1961. This is in addition to the target of 3m. tons to be produced by then by three big plants in the public sector. The main expansion of the private sector is to take place in finished steel, but the capacity of refraction plants, cast iron foundries and forges is also to be increased considerably. Special attention is to be paid to the expansion of ferro-manganese plants. The total investments envisaged in the private steel industry amount to over $250m.

Lausanne Fair

● Argentina will be the guest of honour at the 36th Lausanne Fair, to be held from September 10 to September 25. Other participants in the Fair are France, Belgium, Italy, Holland, Brazil, India, etc. A special pavilion is to be devoted to electronic equipment, remote control devices and cybernetics.

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FACING THE FACTS

IT is a pleasant duty to praise the Government for having the courage to do unpleasant things and to grasp, though belatedly, the nettle of an additional budget. Even the delay may to some extent be compensated for by the skilful stratagem that is now being used in order to overcome public resistance to increased taxation.

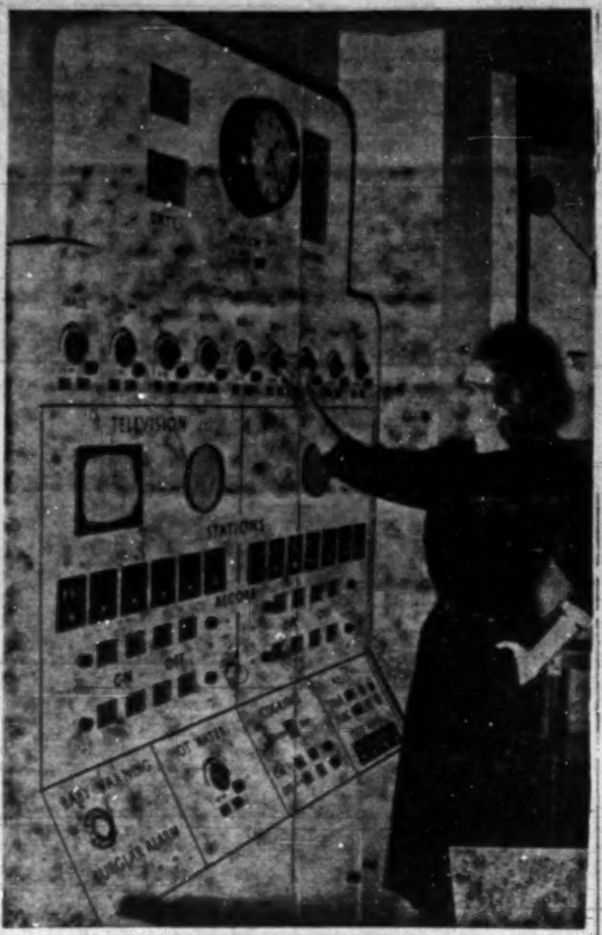
In view of the recent events in French North Africa and the imminent danger of more riots and political changes, no one in this country can oppose a measure intended to help bring Moroccan Jews here. It is palpably clear that the absorption of more immigrants, in particular of untrained and unqualified elements, spells increased expenditure for non-productive purposes which must be supplied from public sources, and the figure of IL75m. mentioned in this context (of which one-third is to be raised in this country) may give an approximate notion of the amounts involved.

On closer scrutiny, however, the connection between this programme and the new financial measures is far less evident. To begin with, even the present budget had been based upon the assumption that immigration would approximate 30,000 annually — two-thirds of the expected number. Again, the increased programme is intended for the year ending September 1956, and the major part of it will inevitably be implemented during the next budgetary period. No matter how much we hurry, it will evidently be impossible, for sheer lack of finished plans and preparations, to put to constructive use more than comparatively modest amounts during the next few months and even the relatively simple task of erecting dwelling units must necessarily take time.

Moreover, it would be a doubtful blessing if the housing programme could be put into action immediately while the building industry is working "at full stretch" and while in many places a shortage of skilled workers is causing delays and serving as a pretext for wage premiums. Finally, on the strength of the revenue statement for the first quarter of the current budget year, there is every likelihood that present taxation may produce quite a surplus (which could best be diverted to absorption purposes) over projected expenditure.

Were it only for the need to provide money for the requirements of future immigrants, the new taxation could therefore hardly be considered urgent or vital. The more reason, however, to praise Mr. Eshkol for using this *ruse de guerre* to skim off a part of the excess purchasing power which is providing a rapidly expanding domestic market for local production, chiefly in consumers' goods and housing. It has been demonstrated often enough that if no curb is put upon this development, it will interfere with our export efforts and widen the foreign currency gap; that it is already pressing wages and prices to rise; and that, if a large-scale investment programme is superimposed upon this consumption boom, the result must inevitably be new inflation.

It is this aspect of clearing the ground and releasing labour and resources for the necessary productive investments which should be kept in view mainly when considering the new taxes which have significantly been aimed at building materials, luxury imports and domestic semi-luxuries. These measures are, however, intended to produce only one-half of the prospective retrenchment, and it remains to be seen at what points Mr. Eshkol intends to deploy the other half of his fiscal forces.



A "PREVIEW" of the Robot, called the "electronic Housewife," that will watch the baby, warn the police about burglars, remind one about family birthdays, and record a radio programme for you. It will politely tell your friends that you are not at home and will record their message. If you want to take your wife to see the next-door neighbours you dial their number and press the 'baby watching' button. When the infant wakes the neighbour's phone rings and there is a baby howling on the telephone. It is all very "futuristic" but the makers say it will come soon — probably by 1990.
Express Photo

Development Authority Earnings

THE income from the 71,000 urban housing units of abandoned Arab property in Israel has tripled during the last four years and now exceeds IL6.3m. per year, *The Jerusalem Post* learns reliably. Some 72,000 tenants, mostly immigrants, live in the Development Authority's 60,754 flats and work in its 30,700 shops, workshops and other commercial and industrial premises.

Thirty per cent of the incomes from urban property, some IL2m., were yielded by the official "key money" system introduced last year. The following table points up the increase in income from urban property:

Year:	Income (IL)	Expenditure
1952/53	2,268,000	1,010,000
1953/54	4,124,000	1,040,000
1954/55	5,125,000	940,000
1955/56	6,300,000	996,000

At the same time the net income from urban property, after deduction of municipal rates and administrative expenses has increased from IL2.46m. which formed 55 per cent of income in 1954/55, to IL3.6m., which form 63 per cent of this year's income.

Giant Landlord

The Authority earned IL 1.5m. from the sale of land from October 1953 through March 1955. It made over a million pounds on the sale of houses and some IL300,000 on the sale of flats. The Jewish National Fund alone has bought over 2m. dunams of farm land and some 18,000 dunams of urban plots.

Out of the remaining agricultural lands in the hands of the authority (some 800,000 dunams), 96,000 dunams have been allocated to various companies engaged in the growing and planting of citrus; 110,000 dunams have been transferred to the Ministry of Labour for public buildings and housing schemes, mainly in the South and the Yarkon river area.

Industrial Holdings

The Development Authority supervises 38 industrial areas extending over 11,300 dunams; they are located around Acre, Ramla, Haifa, Herzlia and Petah Tikva.

Outside the Negev where the bulk of the Authority's land reserves is, a good percentage of the holdings it supervises have been leased to Arab refugees or Arabs whose claims for land compensation have not yet been settled; 60,000 dunams are leased to other members of the minority communities. The rest of the reserves, (mainly in the Negev) are temporarily leased to settlements, and rents are fixed in accordance with the value of the land and the various kinds of crops and vegetables grown on it. *W.G.T.*

Turkey's Lottery for Quotas

THE Israel Pavilion at the Izmir International Fair is larger than ever before: the exhibits of more than 150 manufacturers are on show. Yet it is no secret that it is not the wish for publicity on the Turkish market which explains the high number of exhibitors. Few, if any, are the Israel industrial exporters who have no substantial orders from Turkey on their books. It is not orders they are looking for, but import licences.

Since February, Turkish import licences for Israel have been issued only for comparatively small amounts and for a handful of commodities such as cement, iron tubes, antibiotics, tires, paints and crown corks (for the State Alcohol Monopoly). Stringent import restrictions are the general rule in Turkey, as the country has accumulated considerable debts in her accounts with the European Payment Union and with most of her bilateral clearing agreements. In these circumstances, the limited foreign currency and clearing funds have to be used for the purchase of the most essential goods from abroad.

There is, however, one exception to this rule. The annual Fair at Izmir, which means a great deal for the development of Turkey's second largest city, would lose all attraction for foreign exhibitors unless there existed prospects for actual business even on a very modest scale. The Turkish authorities are well aware of this situation, and allocate special quotas for sales made during the one-month fair.

This was the reason for this year's large participation of Israel manufacturers, most of whom consider the not insignificant costs involved as a ticket to the "Lottery of Quotas." Yet the total amount allotted to the Israel Pavilion early this month was clearing $275,000 which, divided by the number of exhibitors, represents disappointingly small "consolation prizes."

Had they even been much larger, however, the quotas could offer but a temporary solution to our Turkish export problems, and our manufacturers are seriously worried about the future of this prominent market for our industrial products.

Yugoslavia's Example

The difficulties outlined above are now practically the same wherever Turkey has bilateral clearing agreements.

Our own agreement, which has now been functioning for five years, did not stipulate any quotas, and during the first years after the War of Liberation when it was impossible to foresee import requirements and export possibilities, this lack of quotas gave both sides an elasticity which helped mutual trade work smoothly.

This situation has changed fundamentally. No longer is it a problem to find buyers for an increased range of Israel products, but we have difficulties in making large purchases in Turkey in order to accumulate funds on the Clearing Account which can be used for the payment of our exports.

Yugoslavia, facing the same dilemma, lately concluded with Turkey a new trade agreement whereby the latter not only fixed quotas but formally undertook to supply until the end of this year at least 150,000 tons of wheat (20 per cent of Turkey's estimated export surplus) and 4,000 tons of raw cotton, at prices to be agreed upon. On the other hand, quotas have been stipulated for the import of Yugoslav cement ($2.5m.), plate glass ($0.5m.), iron and metal articles, chemicals etc.

There is obviously much to be said in favour of the application of a similar system for the future exchange of goods between Turkey and Israel, whose complementary economies in addition to their geographical proximity make them natural trade partners. *SKWI*

Ordinary Revenue Exceeds Estimates

WITH new taxes announced and more in sight Government revenue figures acquire increased significance. The last published statement showed that in the first quarter of the current year ordinary revenue was not only well above corresponding figures a year ago, but even beyond the targets set in most budget estimates. Thus, income tax collections amounted to almost IL30m. compared with IL23.6m. in the first quarter of 1954/55, a rise of 25 per cent, although the total revenue from this source had been estimated to rise by 16 per cent in the current financial year. Stamp duty revenue rose by 80 per cent, double the rate expected for the annual yield. Only in licences was there a lag against estimates. However, the total revenue from direct taxation was IL35m., i.e., 20 per cent above last year, instead of the estimated 15 per cent.

Even more spectacular was the improvement in indirect tax revenue, which jumped up by 23 per cent (to IL57.), compared with the six per cent expected in the budget estimates. The main increases were in general customs receipts, which rose by over 40 per cent (while no rise at all had been expected) as a result of bigger imports; and in purchase tax revenue, which rose by two-thirds instead of the less than half that had been expected. Fuel duty and excise receipts were at last year's level, although transport revenue also rose by a full third, mainly on account of higher Haifa harbour receipts. Thus, over 28 per cent of the ordinary budget and 27 per cent of the transport budget, compared with slightly over 20 per cent last year, were collected in the first quarter.

Nevertheless, the first quarter ended, as usual, with a deficit—IL4.2m. in the ordinary expenditure and IL18.7m. in the development budget. This seasonal deficit has been covered partly by revenue surpluses from the preceding financial year (IL10.5m.) and partly by advances from the Bank of Israel. *M.A.*

Labour Investment Company Planned

By A Special Correspondent

A FURTHER step towards consolidating the financial structure of the Labour economy is to be made shortly through the establishment of a central investment company, it is reliably learned. The company's object will be to attract long-term savings both from internal sources (mainly provident and pension funds) and from the general public, in order to provide means for the numerous renewal and expansion programmes of industrial enterprises and public service bodies (such as the Histadrut's Sick Fund, for instance).

The project, suggested several years ago, is being undertaken at last in view of the urgent need to raise very substantial capital amounts, as it is thought that a common company under the patronage of the Hevrat Ovdim might have a considerably stronger appeal to the potential investor than the separate concerns, no matter how large.

Contrary to the original conception, the company will not, however, be a direct subsidiary of the Hevrat Ovdim, but a joint body in which the Hevrat Ovdim will participate together with the Workers' Bank and Gmul (the leading Labour credit institutions) and Solel Boneh, Tnuva and Hamashbir (the main prospective borrowers).

The company is to be registered within the next months with a share capital of IL1m.-IL2m., and it plans to float its first issue no later than early in 1956. It is planned to issue IL10m. in debentures linked to the Cost of Living Index and the dollar value, like the new PEC debentures, but for a longer amortization period (10-15 years). Neither the rate of interest nor the use of the proceeds have been decided yet, but it is understood that perhaps 30 per cent may be allocated to various medium-sized industrial enterprises in the cooperative and *kibbutz* sectors.

F. & C. Exports Programme

By Our Economic Editor

DELAYS in the delivery of equipment ordered in Germany have again caused a postponement of the prospective completion date of the ammonium sulphate plant in the Fertilizers and Chemicals factory. Instead of October, the plant is now expected to be put into operation in December, but January is regarded as more likely by a well-informed source. Owing to several technical breakdowns, the potassium sulphate plant commissioned early in June, has only recently started regular production. The first potassium sulphate will be on the market in a matter of weeks.

For the time being, therefore, sulphuric acid and pyrites residues continue to be the main export items of Fertilizers and Chemicals. They are handled by Kishon Chemicals Ltd., formed by the company a year ago, jointly with the Palestine Economic Corporation.

Superphosphate exports, started early this year, have developed satisfactorily, though on a rather small scale. Up to the end of May, these exports totalled $50,000 in value, but it is understood that considerable quantities were shipped recently, chiefly to Cyprus, for the main agricultural season. The company has gained a firm foothold in Cyprus in the teeth of fierce competition because of its proximity and a favourable freight rate. The fertilizer is carried to the island in quantities of only a few hundred tons by light schooners well adapted to its primitive unloading facilities. Deliveries to remoter markets, however, would have to be shipped in steamers at ordinary freight rates, which would render competition with other suppliers more difficult. As a matter of fact, exports of superphosphate are expected to get into full stride only after two conditions are met: when haulage costs of the rock phosphate from the Negev have been cut by a railroad, and when the output of higher-concentration phosphoric acid rises at the Government-owned plant erected at the Fertilizers and Chemicals factory.

Nevertheless, the company's managers are optimistic as regards its export prospects in the near future. With about $1m. worth of completed deliveries during the past twelve months and over $1m. in accepted orders at hand, they predict an export of $2m.-$3m. in 1956.

The added value is also expected to rise considerably when the production of potassium sulphate and ammonium sulphate finally begins. It is then to reach an average of 70 per cent. On the other hand, export of sulphuric acid will be discontinued by then, as the acid will be required for the factory's own processes.

Readers' Letters

MIGROS FOR ISRAEL

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I have read with very great interest your economic correspondent's report in today's issue of *The Jerusalem Post* on the farmers' request to lower retail costs.

Since mention was made of the Migros Organization, I would suggest that Tnuva, Hamashbir Hamerkazi or the Government ask Mr. Duttweiler to study our problems here and propose a reorganization along his lines. I am sure that he would readily accept an invitation, as he did invitations from Turkey and Porto Rico.

The adoption of Migros methods would not be very difficult here, since Migros serves not only her own cooperatives, but also a large number of independent grocers comparable to our Tnuva stores (*"Giro-Dienst"*). Before me I have the balance sheets of Migros for 1954, which show that it works with a margin of less than ten per cent and a profit of about two per cent on the turnover.

Yours, etc.
H. GUGGENHEIMER
Institute of Mathematics
The Hebrew University
Jerusalem, August 30.

Stocks and Commodities

P.E.C. Issue a Success

BY the end of August the P.E.C. 6½% Debentures were practically all taken up. Moreover, demand is even continuing for these debentures at a small premium. It is therefore expected that the bearer series of this security, i.e. IL5.8m., will be shortly introduced into the Stock Market, namely, much earlier than originally contemplated. The success of this issue proves the high potential of investment through the securities market when reasonably good conditions are offered.

It is hoped that with the issue of these bonds a new page has been opened in the relationship between the Treasury and the Stock Market. To prove this new approach, however, something should be done about other Government bonds and especially Tavei Dollar, which stand today at an unreasonable low. Action by the Government or the Bank of Israel would certainly constitute an important and welcome sign that the Government really intends to take care of its own securities, in order to be in a position to benefit from the important Stock Market potential.

In the meantime a number of securities lost ground during the past week. Prominently among them were Palestine Potash ordinary and Preference shares, which lost 15 points, I.L.D.C., Moller Dee and Nesher A Debentures and Africa Pal. Investments. Government Bonds were steady with the exception of Milve Hova which receded slightly, while some industrial shares, especially Ata and Kurdaneh, showed a slight improvement.

Wall Street Bullish

AFTER a four-week pause in which it adjusted itself to tightened credit, the New York Stock Market bulled up again. Gains were widespread and the Dow Jones Industrial Average closed at the all-time peak of 472.53, following good business news and prospects, as against 465.70 last week.

London Continues Weak

SELLING pressure diminished in London but there was a further decline in prices, though losses were generally less severe than at the beginning of the week. The week has been filled with speculation about the imminence of a higher bank rate and further hire-purchase restrictions, etc. When nothing happened until weekend, there was a slight tendency to rally. Reuter's Industrial Index was 235.5 as against 239.7 last week.

Gold

In Jerusalem the Bank of Israel fixed the price of gold as from September 1 at IL16.745 as against IL16.610 for sovereigns, and IL61.790 as against 61.670 for eagles ($20) while the price of ingots was reduced from IL2,019.- per kilo to IL2,016.880.

The price of gold in London was 251/5d. per fine ounce. Demand was limited and trading conditions were quiet.

In Paris a new upward move was noted when domestic and international considerations brought new buyers and business turned active. Both coins and fine gold gained ground, while a spectacular rally affected the sovereign. Bullion totalling more than £3½m. purchased from the U.K. has been shipped in the past month to Pakistan for its State Bank Gold Reserve, against currency-note circulation.

Rise in Copper

AFTER having reached a high of £393.0.- per ton, the price of copper in London reacted slightly but remained firm, following reports that U.S. buyers had paid 50 per cent per pound. These rises were a further result of the copper shortage which led last week to a fresh increase in Anaconda quotations and new diversion of copper from the American stock pile. Copper in London has thus risen over £100.-.- per ton since the beginning of the year and has nearly doubled since the resumption of free dealings in August 1953.

The recent U.S. copper strikes are estimated to have resulted in a loss of 85,000 tons. It is expected, however, that normal copper production will be resumed in three or four weeks.

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Pop. Loans	—
1949/69 (IL.10)	[illegible]
6½% Tavei Dollar x)y)	[illegible]
3½% Gov. Bds. (large)	[illegible]
4% Reg. Sterling "A" c)	95
4% Reg. Sterling "B"	[illegible]
Pal. Bearer Bds. Ser. 3	[illegible]
Bk. Leumi ord. sh. d)	[illegible]
A.P.B. Investm. ord. sh. "B" c)	[illegible]
Gazit ord. sh. "B" e)	101
Ellern's Inv. ord. "B"	[illegible]
P.E.C. Inv. ord. "B" sh.	[illegible]
Gen. Mortg. Bk. ord. sh.	[illegible]
Bizur 4% debs. 58/65	[illegible]
Nir 4% Debs. (bear)	[illegible]
5% pref. sh.	[illegible]
Pass 4% debs. 40/64 reg.	[illegible]
"Inva" 5% debs.	94
I.L.D.C. ord. sh. reg.	[illegible]
5% debs.	82
Afr. Pal. Inv. ord. sh.	[illegible]
Rassco 6% pref. ord sh.	97
Pal. Potash 6% pref. sh.	[illegible]
"A" ord. shares	[illegible]
Pal. Elec. ord. sh. (ler.)	—
Pal. Elec. pref. sh. (Ldn)	[illegible]
Mekoroth pref. sh.	71
Ata ord. "B" sh.	[illegible]
6-8% conv. debs.	94
"Kurdaneh" ord. "B" sh	[illegible]
7% conv. debs. 50/66	[illegible]
Moller-Dee ord. sh. reg. x	[illegible]
Pal.-Brewery 5% con. sh.	[illegible]
Assis Bejarano "B" sh.	[illegible]
"Teva" ord. sh.	[illegible]
Nesher 6% debs. "A"	[illegible]
6% debs. "B" a)c)d)	[illegible]
Pal. Cold St 7% debs. e)	[illegible]
ord. sh. reg. (full div.)	[illegible]
Pal. Contr. Tr 5% debs.	96

Notes: a) purchasing price; b) selling price; c) ex-coupon; d) ex-dividend; e) ex right x) Project; y) 15.6/15.12

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A) The attention is drawn to all holders of the goods detailed below, including merchants, importers, manufacturers, contractors etc. to the changes in the Customs and Excise tariffs contained in the announcement in Kovetz Hatakanot 453, August 29, 1955.

B)

Item Number	Description
224	Stripped or unstripped trunks and branches.
225	Planks or boards, sleepers, beams and balks of (conifers, teak) wood
226	Planks or boards, sleepers, beams and balks of other woods.
226a	Dunnage a) Conifers wood and teak wood b) Hardwood
190	Cement a) Grey Portland b) Other cement
[illegible]	Iron rods: round, half-round, flats, angle irons, iron bars and T-iron less than 8 cm. wide.
[illegible]	Billets imported for rolling.
[illegible]	U Iron not less than 8 cm. wide or double T iron (I shaped).
[illegible]	Hot-rolled steel wire imported in reels to be drawn into fine wire and not intended for building purposes.

C) According to Section 2A of the Ordinance concerning taxes on stocks, July 30, 1953, anyone holding the above goods for resale or as raw material, must submit a signed declaration to the Customs Officer, listing complete details and accurate details of all stocks he owns, within 10 days of the publication of this notice.

All holders of stocks whose holdings have already been registered by representatives of the Department of Excise and Customs are also required to file a declaration. These declarations should be sent to the following addresses:

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